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ABSTRACT

Thirteen statistical tables present information on foreign language offerings and enrollments in the United States of America and include: (1) total foreign language enrollments, (2) continuity of study trends, (3) high school offerings (percent offering foreign languages and state rank), (4) enrollments in Latin, French, German, Italian, Russian, Spanish, and other languages (courses 1-4), (5) geographical distribution, and (6) foreign language enrollments in secondary school, grades 7-8. Introductory remarks and analyses of tables accompany the survey results. (RL)

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### HIGHLIGHTS

1. Modern-foreign-language enrollments in the public secondary schools (grades 9-12) were 1,872,946 in the fall of 1960, an increase of 19.7 per cent over 1959, and of 44.5 per cent since the fall of 1958.
2. Enrollments in modern foreign languages were 21.7 per cent of the total high-school population in 1960, a rise from 19.1 per cent in 1959 and 16.4 per cent in 1958.
3. Enrollments in all foreign languages, including Latin, in 1960 were 2,534,731, an increase of 15.0 per cent in one year, and a 32.5 per cent increase since the fall of 1958. The 1960 enrollments were 29.3 per cent of the total high-school population, up from 26.9 per cent in 1959 and 24.3 per cent in 1958.
4. Spanish, French, Latin, and German accounted for 98.5 per cent of all language enrollments, with per cents of 36.9, 29.5, 26.1, and 6.0 respectively.
5. In enrollments, French replaced Latin as the number two high-school language. French has increased 55.8 per cent since 1958.
6. Though German increased 22.4 per cent over 1959 and 62.6 per cent over the fall of 1958, enrollments are still low in comparison with those in Spanish, French, and Latin.
7. On the national scale, continuity of study of the six principal foreign languages (Course II 1959 into Course III 1960) was 24.6 per cent, a rise of two per cent over the previous year.
8. In 1960, foreign languages were offered by 72.8 per cent of the high schools (70.4 per cent in 1959); modern foreign languages, by 60.8 per cent (60.0 per cent in 1959).

### INTRODUCTION

FOR three consecutive years, the Modern Language Association has collected data on the status of foreign-language teaching in the public secondary schools of the United States. The two earlier reports, "Foreign Language Offerings and Enrollments in Public Secondary

Schools, Fall 1958," and "Foreign Language Offerings and Enrollments in Public Secondary Schools, Fall 1959," were prepared for the U. S. Office of Education pursuant to contracts under the National Defense Education Act. The present report on offerings and enrollments for the fall of 1960 has been an independent project undertaken by the MLA as a public service and financed by funds from its Foreign Language Program. The same type of questionnaire and the same method of tabulation were used as in earlier surveys so that comparisons would be valid.

In this report all enrollment figures are the actual ones received for fall 1960, except for the estimated foreign-language enrollments for California and Connecticut, and for the use of 1959 data for Iowa. Per cents and ranks are compared with those of 1959 wherever possible. Per cents are rounded off to the nearest tenth, except in the separate language enrollment tables for German, Italian, and Russian, where small fractional per cents are not changed.

**Estimated Enrollments:** California reported data for 1959 and 1961. The 1960 data were estimated by adding one half of the two-year increase to the totals reported in 1959. Connecticut reported from schools which were 76.4 per cent of the State's total high-school population. Since 94.0 per cent of Connecticut's schools offer foreign languages, the data for all foreign languages were expanded from 76.4 to 100 per cent. Iowa did not collect foreign-language enrollments for 1960; therefore, 1959 data were used.

**Texas Data for 1959 and 1960:** The MLA sent questionnaires (and follow-up letters when necessary) to each Texas school district, asking for enrollment data for 1959 and 1960. The exact figures sent for each of the two years are shown in this report. Since Texas did not report 1959 data for the MLA's publication on foreign-language offerings and enrollments for that year, 1958 data were used. With the subsequent receipt of 1959 figures, the previous report for 1959 can now be revised and made more accurate.

**Revision of 1959 Data:** National totals for 1959, cited in the present report, differ in some respects from totals previously published by the MLA. Foreign-language data for 1959 were re-

ceived from Texas, and these new data have been used in place of the 1958 data previously used. The national totals, as well as those for Texas, have been adjusted to include these changes, making more exact the comparisons with data for 1960.

**Special Explanations:** Abbreviations: The following abbreviations have been used in the text, charts, and tables of this report: FL(s), Foreign Language(s); HS, High School; HSP, High School Population; MFL(s), Modern Foreign Language(s); MLA, Modern Language Association.

**Combination courses:** Combination courses III and IV were recorded with 80 per cent of the enrollments in Course III and 20 per cent in Course IV, the proportions for separately listed courses III and IV.

**Conversation courses:** When no course level was given for conversation courses, the enrollments were assigned to Course I.

**Courses I-V:** In this report, courses I-V are used in the commonly accepted sense. Whether in junior or senior high school, Course I, for example, is the first full year of formal language study in the secondary school, granting a unit of credit; courses II, III, IV, and V are the second, third, fourth, and fifth full years of language study on the secondary level.

**General Language:** Enrollments in General or Exploratory Language courses were not included in the totals.

**"Other" enrollments:** "Other" enrollments given for a specific language, but unspecified as to course level, were assigned to Course I.

**State totals:** State totals only were given for specific languages in the Iowa report, unclassified as to language-course levels, and these figures were put in a column marked "unclassified."

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#### NATIONAL ENROLLMENTS

At the end of the second full year of the National Defense Education Act's support of modern-foreign-language teaching, enrollments in all modern foreign languages offered in the fall of 1960 in public secondary schools of the United States were 1,872,946, an increase of 19.7 per cent over the fall of 1959, and of 44.5 per cent since the fall of 1958. The 1960 enrollments were 21.7 per cent of the high-school population in grades 9-12, a rise from 19.1 per cent in 1959.

The upswing in modern-foreign-language enrollments had its counterpart in increased enrollments in all foreign languages: 2,534,731, an increase of 15.0 per cent over 1959 and 32.5 per cent over 1958. This was 29.3 per cent of the high-school population, grades 9-12, up from 27.0 per cent in 1959.

Forty-nine states (all except Utah) and the District of Columbia show increased modern-foreign-language enrollments; the same number of states (all except Alabama) and the District of

Columbia show increases in all foreign-language enrollments.

French, German, Latin, Russian, and Spanish show enrollment gains over 1959; Italian shows a loss, as it did in the 1959 survey. Spanish, Latin, and French are still the chief languages (92.5%) studied by high-school students.

Although Latin enrollments were higher in 1960 than in 1959, the per cent of its enrollments to the total high-school population declined slightly, from 7.8 in 1959 to 7.6 in 1960. Latin's per cent of total foreign-language enrollments also dropped from 29.0 in 1959 to 26.1 in 1960.

Chief gainer at the expense of Latin was French, which took over the second position (after Spanish) in total high-school language enrollments. French also gained slightly (2.1%) in per cent of total modern-foreign-language enrollments.

Chart A gives a summary of the 1958, 1959, and 1960 enrollments and per cents for each of the six principal foreign languages taught in public high schools.

#### ANALYSIS OF SUMMARY TABLES 1-4

Table 1 presents the total high-school pupil enrollment reported for grades 9-12 (column 2) and the total modern-foreign-language enrollments in Courses I-V (column 3). Column 4 gives the 1959 enrollments in modern foreign languages; the per cent of increase (1960 over 1959) is shown in column 5. The per cent of modern-foreign-language students to the total high-school population in each state is shown in columns 6 and 7, and columns 8 and 9 show the ranking of the states in regard to these per cents. Column 10 lists the gain or loss in the per cents given in columns 6 and 7.

Rhode Island, with 39.3 per cent of its 1960 high-school students enrolled in modern foreign languages, ranked first among the states. Note, however, that its total high-school population

and its total modern-foreign-language enrollments are small. New York, with its tremendous enrollments, had a large increase in foreign-language students in 1960, but its considerable increase in total pupil population caused its per cent of language enrollments (37.9) to fall below that of Rhode Island.

In addition to Rhode Island and New York, eleven states and the District of Columbia had more than 25 per cent of their high-school students enrolled in modern foreign languages, a net gain of four states over 1959 and five over 1958: New Jersey (36.8%), Delaware (35.6%), California (35.5%), New Mexico (33.8%), Massachusetts (33.6%), Connecticut (31.2%), Arizona (30.2%), Maryland (29.9%), Pennsylvania (29.1%), District of Columbia (27.9%), New Hampshire (27.8%), and Washington (26.9%).

Only nine states had fewer than ten per cent of their high-school students enrolled in modern foreign languages in 1960, a reduction from fourteen states in 1959 and twenty in 1958. These nine states were: Tennessee (9.7%), South Dakota (9.0%), Kentucky (8.5%), West Virginia (8.2%), Alabama (7.8%), North Dakota (7.2%), Iowa (6.7%), Arkansas (6.6%), and Mississippi (5.0%).

Eighteen states showed an increase of more than 25 per cent in modern-foreign-language enrollments: New Mexico (71.2%), Hawaii (61.5%), Arkansas (47.5%), Kansas (41.8%), North Dakota (40.9%), Texas (39.3%), Nebraska (37.9%), Wisconsin (36.7%), Pennsylvania (36.6%), Arizona (35.6%), Missouri (35.0%), Maryland (33.6%), South Dakota (31.6%), Georgia (29.5%), Mississippi (28.5%), Washington (27.3%), Oklahoma (27.0%), and Virginia (25.3%). Utah was the only state with an actual decrease (2.1%) in enrollments; though Massachusetts, New Jersey, and New York showed small per cent losses in terms of the tota

CHART A. FOREIGN LANGUAGE ENROLLMENTS AND PER CENTS IN 1958-60

| Language | FL Enrollments |                   |         | Per Cent of HS Population 9-12 |      |      | Per Cent of FL Enrollments |      |      | Per Cent of MFL Enrollments |      |      | Per Cent of Change in Enrollments |       |       |
|----------|----------------|-------------------|---------|--------------------------------|------|------|----------------------------|------|------|-----------------------------|------|------|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|
|          | 1958           | 1959 <sup>1</sup> | 1960    | 1958                           | 1959 | 1960 | 1958                       | 1959 | 1960 | 1958                        | 1959 | 1960 | 58-59                             | 59-60 | 58-60 |
| Spanish  | 691,024        | 802,266           | 935,418 | 8.7                            | 9.8  | 10.8 | 36.1                       | 36.3 | 36.9 | 53.3                        | 51.3 | 49.9 | 16.1                              | 16.6  | 35.4  |
| French   | 479,769        | 603,733           | 747,486 | 6.1                            | 7.4  | 8.6  | 25.0                       | 27.4 | 29.5 | 37.0                        | 38.6 | 39.9 | 25.8                              | 23.8  | 55.8  |
| Latin    | 617,500        | 639,776           | 661,563 | 7.8                            | 7.8  | 7.6  | 32.2                       | 29.0 | 26.1 | —                           | —    | —    | 3.6                               | 3.4   | 7.1   |
| German   | 93,054         | 123,581           | 151,261 | 1.2                            | 1.5  | 1.7  | 4.8                        | 5.6  | 6.0  | 7.2                         | 7.9  | 8.1  | 32.8                              | 22.4  | 62.6  |
| Italian  | 22,133         | 21,118            | 20,026  | 0.3                            | 0.3  | 0.2  | 1.1                        | 1.0  | 0.8  | 1.7                         | 1.3  | 1.1  | -4.6                              | -5.2  | -9.5  |
| Russian  | 4,055          | 7,513             | 9,607   | 0.05                           | 0.09 | 0.1  | 0.2                        | 0.3  | 0.4  | 0.3                         | 0.5  | 0.5  | 85.3                              | 27.9  | 136.9 |
| Other    | 5,909          | 6,897             | 9,370   | 0.07                           | 0.08 | 0.1  | 0.3                        | 0.3  | 0.4  | 0.5                         | 0.4  | 0.5  | 16.7                              | 35.9  | 58.6  |

<sup>1</sup> Totals revised to include 1959 Texas data. See Introduction, "Texas Data for 1959 and 1960."

## FL Offerings and Enrollments

TABLE 1. TOTAL MODERN-FOREIGN-LANGUAGE ENROLLMENTS,<sup>1</sup> FALL 1960

| 1                        | HSP<br>(9-12)<br>1960 | MFL<br>I-V<br>1960 | MFL<br>I-V<br>1959 | MFL<br>% of<br>Change | Per Cent of HSP in MFL I-V With Ranks |      |      |      | Change<br>in % |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|------|------|------|----------------|
|                          |                       |                    |                    |                       | 1960                                  | 1959 | Rank |      |                |
|                          |                       |                    |                    |                       |                                       |      | 1960 | 1959 |                |
| 2                        | 3                     | 4                  | 5                  | 6                     | 7                                     | 8    | 9    | 10   |                |
| Alabama                  | 173,763               | 13,631             | 13,302             | 2.5                   | 7.8                                   | 7.4  | 47   | 45   | 0.4            |
| Alaska                   | 7,651                 | 1,162              | 1,029              | 12.9                  | 15.2                                  | 14.2 | 30   | 28   | 1.0            |
| Arizona                  | 66,463                | 20,085             | 14,814             | 35.6                  | 30.2                                  | 28.7 | 9    | 8    | 1.5            |
| Arkansas                 | 103,730               | 6,803              | 4,613              | 47.5                  | 6.6                                   | 4.7  | 50   | 50   | 1.9            |
| California <sup>2</sup>  | 746,791               | 265,191            | 225,100            | 17.8                  | 35.5                                  | 30.8 | 5    | 6    | 4.7            |
| Colorado                 | 89,991                | 21,465             | 18,047             | 18.9                  | 23.9                                  | 21.7 | 16   | 16   | 2.2            |
| Connecticut <sup>2</sup> | 111,728               | 34,895             | 30,241             | 15.1                  | 31.2                                  | 26.9 | 8    | 9    | 4.4            |
| Delaware                 | 19,781                | 7,033              | 6,230              | 12.9                  | 35.6                                  | 34.0 | 4    | 5    | 1.6            |
| D. of Columbia           | 18,546                | 5,172              | 4,984              | 3.8                   | 27.9                                  | 26.9 | 12   | 9    | 1.0            |
| Florida                  | 228,704               | 44,116             | 37,551             | 17.5                  | 19.3                                  | 18.0 | 23   | 21   | 1.3            |
| Georgia                  | 211,442               | 30,397             | 23,478             | 29.5                  | 14.4                                  | 11.6 | 32   | 34   | 2.8            |
| Hawaii                   | 35,456                | 4,366              | 2,703              | 61.5                  | 12.3                                  | 8.1  | 36   | 43   | 4.2            |
| Idaho                    | 42,348                | 6,356              | 5,654              | 12.4                  | 15.0                                  | 13.1 | 31   | 30   | 1.9            |
| Illinois                 | 426,404               | 86,853             | 82,155             | 5.7                   | 20.4                                  | 20.1 | 20   | 18   | 0.3            |
| Indiana                  | 230,135               | 28,062             | 23,807             | 17.9                  | 12.2                                  | 10.1 | 37   | 37   | 2.1            |
| Iowa <sup>3</sup>        | 137,086               | 9,208              | 9,208              | 0.0                   | 6.7                                   | 6.7  | 49   | 47   | 0.0            |
| Kansas                   | 123,214               | 20,434             | 14,406             | 41.8                  | 16.6                                  | 13.2 | 26   | 29   | 3.4            |
| Kentucky                 | 142,253               | 12,048             | 10,454             | 15.2                  | 8.5                                   | 7.7  | 45   | 44   | 0.8            |
| Louisiana                | 158,887               | 17,455             | 14,955             | 16.7                  | 11.0                                  | 9.9  | 41   | 38   | 1.2            |
| Maine                    | 48,537                | 10,836             | 9,140              | 18.6                  | 22.3                                  | 20.1 | 19   | 18   | 2.2            |
| Maryland                 | 140,870               | 42,101             | 31,524             | 33.6                  | 29.9                                  | 24.0 | 10   | 12   | 5.9            |
| Massachusetts            | 225,234               | 75,727             | 68,923             | 9.9                   | 33.6                                  | 34.3 | 7    | 4    | -0.7           |
| Michigan                 | 375,730               | 57,583             | 47,490             | 21.3                  | 15.3                                  | 12.9 | 29   | 31   | 2.4            |
| Minnesota                | 183,813               | 21,871             | 19,887             | 10.0                  | 11.9                                  | 11.1 | 38   | 35   | 0.8            |
| Mississippi              | 114,500               | 5,752              | 4,477              | 28.5                  | 5.0                                   | 3.9  | 51   | 51   | 1.1            |
| Missouri                 | 202,643               | 22,803             | 16,894             | 35.0                  | 11.3                                  | 8.5  | 40   | 42   | 2.8            |
| Montana                  | 36,286                | 4,981              | 4,442              | 12.1                  | 13.7                                  | 12.5 | 33   | 33   | 1.2            |
| Nebraska                 | 68,759                | 8,171              | 5,926              | 37.9                  | 11.9                                  | 8.9  | 38   | 41   | 3.0            |
| Nevada                   | 13,968                | 3,456              | 3,210              | 7.7                   | 24.7                                  | 24.6 | 15   | 11   | 0.1            |
| New Hampshire            | 25,185                | 6,994              | 5,951              | 17.5                  | 27.8                                  | 23.0 | 13   | 13   | 4.8            |
| New Jersey               | 263,483               | 97,091             | 90,957             | 6.7                   | 36.8                                  | 37.1 | 3    | 2    | -0.3           |
| New Mexico               | 53,541                | 18,119             | 10,581             | 71.2                  | 33.8                                  | 29.7 | 6    | 7    | 4.1            |
| New York                 | 713,275               | 270,198            | 234,637            | 15.2                  | 37.9                                  | 39.7 | 2    | 1    | -1.8           |
| North Carolina           | 266,433               | 53,131             | 45,246             | 17.4                  | 19.9                                  | 17.3 | 22   | 22   | 2.6            |
| North Dakota             | 35,600                | 2,565              | 1,821              | 40.9                  | 7.2                                   | 5.1  | 48   | 49   | 2.1            |
| Ohio                     | 444,656               | 74,405             | 63,917             | 16.4                  | 16.7                                  | 15.0 | 25   | 27   | 1.7            |
| Oklahoma                 | 144,421               | 17,871             | 14,074             | 27.0                  | 12.4                                  | 10.2 | 35   | 36   | 2.2            |
| Oregon                   | 110,386               | 18,522             | 15,255             | 21.4                  | 16.8                                  | 15.2 | 24   | 25   | 1.6            |
| Pennsylvania             | 511,392               | 148,718            | 108,873            | 36.6                  | 29.1                                  | 21.3 | 11   | 17   | 7.8            |
| Rhode Island             | 31,408                | 12,325             | 10,685             | 15.1                  | 39.3                                  | 35.0 | 1    | 3    | 4.3            |
| South Carolina           | 127,657               | 16,374             | 14,705             | 11.3                  | 12.8                                  | 12.8 | 34   | 32   | 0.0            |
| South Dakota             | 38,136                | 3,450              | 2,622              | 31.6                  | 9.0                                   | 7.1  | 44   | 46   | 1.9            |
| Tennessee                | 189,223               | 18,367             | 16,778             | 9.5                   | 9.7                                   | 9.2  | 43   | 39   | 0.5            |
| Texas <sup>4</sup>       | 472,873               | 96,589             | 69,341             | 39.3                  | 20.4                                  | 15.3 | 20   | 24   | 5.1            |
| Utah                     | 58,473                | 9,116              | 9,312              | -2.1                  | 15.6                                  | 16.2 | 28   | 23   | -0.6           |
| Vermont                  | 16,521                | 3,877              | 3,506              | 10.6                  | 23.5                                  | 21.8 | 17   | 15   | 1.7            |
| Virginia                 | 180,256               | 41,412             | 33,042             | 25.3                  | 23.0                                  | 18.3 | 18   | 20   | 4.7            |
| Washington               | 159,006               | 42,698             | 33,529             | 27.3                  | 26.9                                  | 22.2 | 14   | 14   | 4.7            |
| West Virginia            | 107,773               | 8,848              | 7,102              | 24.6                  | 8.2                                   | 6.6  | 46   | 48   | 1.6            |
| Wisconsin                | 196,658               | 21,328             | 15,607             | 36.7                  | 10.8                                  | 9.0  | 42   | 40   | 1.8            |
| Wyoming                  | 18,426                | 3,025              | 2,698              | 12.1                  | 16.4                                  | 15.2 | 27   | 25   | 1.2            |
| U.S.A. <sup>5</sup>      | 8,649,495             | 1,872,946          | 1,564,883          | 19.7                  | 21.7                                  | 19.1 | —    | —    | 2.6            |

<sup>1</sup> All enrollments are the actual data sent, unless otherwise indicated.<sup>2</sup> Estimated enrollments. See Introduction.<sup>3</sup> 1959 data used.<sup>4</sup> See Introduction, "Texas Data for 1959 and 1960."<sup>5</sup> See Introduction, "Revision of 1959 Data."

high-school population. Three states showed a gain of more than five per cent in modern-foreign-language enrollments within the total high-school population: Pennsylvania (7.8%), Maryland (5.9%), and Texas (5.1%).

Table 2 summarizes the total foreign-language enrollments (Latin and Greek added to modern foreign languages), with per cents, gains or losses, and ranks compared with those of 1959. Column 5 shows the per cent of increase in enrollments from the fall of 1959 to the fall of 1960. Column 10 shows the per cent of gain or loss (since the fall of 1959) of all foreign-language enrollments in terms of the total high-school population.

Rhode Island, with 52.6 per cent of its high-school pupils enrolled in a foreign language, ranked first. Massachusetts ranked second with 50.3 per cent. Seven other states had more than 40 per cent enrolled in foreign languages: Delaware (49.1%), New Jersey (47.5%), Connecticut (45.8%), New York (45.2%), Pennsylvania (41.8%), New Hampshire (41.4%), and California (40.4%).

Only two states (Arkansas with 9.3% and Mississippi with 7.9%) had fewer than ten per cent of their high-school students enrolled in foreign languages in the fall of 1960. Alabama was the only state with a decrease (7.2%) in foreign-language enrollments in 1960, though four other states (Illinois, New Jersey, New York, and Utah) showed a per cent loss in terms of total high-school population.

Table 3 shows, for the six principal languages, the per cent of students enrolled in Course II in 1959 who continued into Course III in 1960. Though the per cent (24.6) is still disappointingly low for all foreign-language students, it is up from 22.6 per cent in 1959. In modern foreign languages, the situation is somewhat better: 25.7 per cent continuity in 1959 and 29.6 per cent in 1960. In the separate language tables 5-10, the per cent of continuity is shown for each language. These per cents, compared with those for 1959, are shown in Chart B.

New York ranked first among the states with 56.7 per cent of its foreign-language students continuing from Course II in 1959 into Course III in 1960. Eight other states and the District of Columbia had 25 per cent or more: Rhode Island (38.3%), California (35.1%), Indiana (33.7%),

Massachusetts (31.6%), Connecticut (30.9%), Washington (30.0%), Nebraska (28.1%), District of Columbia (25.8%), and Kansas (25.3%). Six states had fewer than five per cent of 1959 Course II students in 1960 Course III: South Carolina (4.5%), Georgia (3.9%), North Carolina (3.7%), West Virginia (3.6%), North Dakota (3.5%), and Hawaii (0.9%).

The national per cent of continuity in *modern* foreign languages was 29.6 in 1960. New York was far in the lead with 64.7 per cent. Fifteen other states had more than 25 per cent: Rhode Island (46.5%), Indiana (44.7%), California (38.0%), Connecticut (33.9%), Pennsylvania (33.8%), Massachusetts (33.7%), Washington (31.8%), Maine (31.2%), Kansas (30.3%), New Hampshire and Minnesota (29.2%), New Jersey (27.6%), Tennessee (27.5%), Vermont (26.9%), and Wisconsin (25.6%). Seven states had five per cent or less: South Carolina (5.0%), North Carolina (3.6%), Georgia (3.3%), West Virginia (3.1%), North Dakota (2.8%), Hawaii (1.7%), and South Dakota (0.0%).

Table 4 gives the number and per cent of high schools in each state that offer foreign-language instruction. The national per cent of high schools that offered at least one foreign language (Latin or modern) was 72.8 in 1960, up from 70.4 in 1959. The per cent rise in offerings in *modern* foreign languages was from 60.0 in 1959 to 60.8 in 1960. Chart C summarizes the growth of foreign-language offerings since 1958.

CHART C. HIGH-SCHOOL OFFERINGS IN  
FOREIGN LANGUAGES, 1958-60

|                          | 1958 | 1959 | 1960 |
|--------------------------|------|------|------|
| All Foreign Languages    | 61.6 | 70.4 | 72.8 |
| Modern Foreign Languages | 50.4 | 60.0 | 60.8 |

Five states reported that at least one foreign language was offered in each of its senior high schools: Delaware, Georgia, New Jersey, Rhode Island, and Washington. Eleven other states and the District of Columbia reported that at least nine tenths of their high schools offered one or more foreign languages in 1960: Massachusetts (99.6%), Maine (99.4%), New Hampshire (98.8%), New York (96.4%), Vermont (96.2%),

CHART B. CONTINUITY OF LANGUAGE STUDY

|                                  | Latin | French | German | Italian | Russian | Spanish |
|----------------------------------|-------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Course II in 1958 to III in 1959 | 17.4  | 33.8   | 29.0   | 22.1    | 34.5    | 24.8    |
| Course II in 1959 to III in 1960 | 14.6  | 31.4   | 28.4   | 25.0    | 27.4    | 28.5    |

TABLE 2. TOTAL OF ALL FOREIGN-LANGUAGE ENROLLMENTS,<sup>1</sup> FALL 1960

| 1                        | HSP<br>(9-12)<br>1960 | FL<br>I-V<br>1960 | FL<br>I-V<br>1959 | FL<br>% of<br>Change | Per Cent of HSP in FL I-V With Ranks |      |      |      | Change<br>in %<br><br>10 |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|------|------|------|--------------------------|
|                          |                       |                   |                   |                      | 1960                                 | 1959 | Rank |      |                          |
|                          |                       |                   |                   |                      |                                      |      | 1960 | 1959 |                          |
| 2                        | 3                     | 4                 | 5                 | 6                    | 7                                    | 8    | 9    |      |                          |
| Alabama                  | 173,763               | 17,849            | 19,228            | -7.2                 | 10.3                                 | 10.8 | 49   | 48   | -0.5                     |
| Alaska                   | 7,651                 | 1,803             | 1,428             | 26.3                 | 23.6                                 | 19.7 | 27   | 31   | 3.9                      |
| Arizona                  | 66,463                | 23,689            | 17,544            | 35.0                 | 35.6                                 | 34.0 | 15   | 13   | 1.6                      |
| Arkansas                 | 103,730               | 9,681             | 7,653             | 26.5                 | 9.3                                  | 7.7  | 50   | 51   | 1.6                      |
| California <sup>2</sup>  | 746,791               | 301,770           | 262,235           | 15.0                 | 40.4                                 | 35.9 | 9    | 11   | 4.5                      |
| Colorado                 | 89,991                | 29,585            | 25,380            | 16.6                 | 32.9                                 | 30.5 | 17   | 16   | 2.4                      |
| Connecticut <sup>2</sup> | 111,728               | 51,285            | 46,201            | 11.0                 | 45.9                                 | 41.1 | 5    | 6    | 4.8                      |
| Delaware                 | 19,781                | 9,706             | 8,676             | 11.9                 | 49.1                                 | 47.4 | 3    | 4    | 1.7                      |
| D. of Columbia           | 18,546                | 7,280             | 6,900             | 5.5                  | 39.3                                 | 37.2 | 11   | 8    | 2.1                      |
| Florida                  | 228,704               | 62,834            | 55,357            | 13.5                 | 27.5                                 | 26.5 | 22   | 22   | 1.0                      |
| Georgia                  | 211,442               | 43,810            | 36,290            | 20.7                 | 20.7                                 | 17.9 | 32   | 34   | 2.8                      |
| Hawaii                   | 35,456                | 6,424             | 4,404             | 45.9                 | 18.1                                 | 13.3 | 35   | 42   | 4.8                      |
| Idaho                    | 42,348                | 8,842             | 8,424             | 5.0                  | 20.9                                 | 20.3 | 31   | 29   | 0.6                      |
| Illinois                 | 426,404               | 123,135           | 119,781           | 2.8                  | 28.9                                 | 29.3 | 20   | 19   | -0.4                     |
| Indiana                  | 230,135               | 52,123            | 48,422            | 7.6                  | 22.6                                 | 20.5 | 30   | 27   | 2.1                      |
| Iowa <sup>3</sup>        | 137,086               | 15,955            | 15,955            | 0.0                  | 11.6                                 | 11.6 | 48   | 47   | 0.0                      |
| Kansas                   | 123,214               | 30,493            | 22,187            | 37.4                 | 24.7                                 | 20.4 | 26   | 28   | 0.3                      |
| Kentucky                 | 142,253               | 20,256            | 18,655            | 8.6                  | 14.2                                 | 13.8 | 44   | 41   | 0.4                      |
| Louisiana                | 158,887               | 20,714            | 17,982            | 15.2                 | 13.0                                 | 11.9 | 46   | 45   | 1.1                      |
| Maine                    | 48,537                | 15,866            | 14,231            | 11.5                 | 32.7                                 | 31.3 | 18   | 15   | 1.4                      |
| Maryland                 | 140,870               | 52,848            | 42,523            | 24.3                 | 37.5                                 | 32.3 | 13   | 14   | 5.2                      |
| Massachusetts            | 225,234               | 113,321           | 102,786           | 10.2                 | 50.3                                 | 51.1 | 2    | 1    | 0.8                      |
| Michigan                 | 375,730               | 88,424            | 76,928            | 14.9                 | 23.5                                 | 21.0 | 28   | 26   | 2.5                      |
| Minnesota                | 183,813               | 30,879            | 29,232            | 5.6                  | 16.8                                 | 16.3 | 41   | 37   | 0.5                      |
| Mississippi              | 114,500               | 9,067             | 8,833             | 2.5                  | 7.9                                  | 7.8  | 51   | 50   | 0.1                      |
| Missouri                 | 202,643               | 31,415            | 24,368            | 28.9                 | 15.5                                 | 12.3 | 42   | 44   | 3.2                      |
| Montana                  | 36,286                | 7,231             | 6,726             | 7.5                  | 19.9                                 | 18.9 | 34   | 33   | 1.0                      |
| Nebraska                 | 68,759                | 11,956            | 9,643             | 24.0                 | 17.4                                 | 14.4 | 36   | 39   | 3.0                      |
| Nevada                   | 13,968                | 4,156             | 3,886             | 6.9                  | 29.8                                 | 29.8 | 19   | 17   | 0.0                      |
| New Hampshire            | 25,185                | 10,416            | 9,325             | 11.7                 | 41.4                                 | 36.1 | 8    | 10   | 5.3                      |
| New Jersey               | 263,483               | 125,185           | 118,175           | 5.9                  | 47.5                                 | 48.2 | 4    | 3    | -0.7                     |
| New Mexico               | 53,541                | 20,345            | 13,056            | 55.8                 | 38.0                                 | 36.7 | 12   | 9    | 1.3                      |
| New York                 | 713,275               | 322,657           | 285,808           | 12.9                 | 45.2                                 | 48.4 | 6    | 2    | -3.2                     |
| North Carolina           | 266,433               | 68,607            | 60,263            | 13.8                 | 25.7                                 | 23.0 | 23   | 24   | 2.7                      |
| North Dakota             | 35,600                | 4,533             | 3,518             | 28.9                 | 12.7                                 | 9.8  | 47   | 49   | 2.9                      |
| Ohio                     | 444,656               | 126,043           | 114,279           | 10.3                 | 28.3                                 | 26.7 | 21   | 21   | 1.6                      |
| Oklahoma                 | 144,421               | 24,955            | 20,746            | 20.3                 | 17.3                                 | 15.0 | 37   | 38   | 2.3                      |
| Oregon                   | 110,386               | 25,777            | 21,103            | 22.1                 | 23.4                                 | 21.1 | 29   | 25   | 2.3                      |
| Pennsylvania             | 511,392               | 213,989           | 178,770           | 19.7                 | 41.8                                 | 35.0 | 7    | 12   | 6.8                      |
| Rhode Island             | 31,408                | 16,518            | 14,306            | 15.3                 | 52.6                                 | 46.8 | 1    | 5    | 5.8                      |
| South Carolina           | 127,657               | 25,610            | 23,175            | 10.5                 | 20.1                                 | 20.1 | 33   | 30   | 0.0                      |
| South Dakota             | 38,136                | 5,348             | 4,355             | 22.8                 | 14.0                                 | 11.8 | 45   | 46   | 2.2                      |
| Tennessee                | 189,223               | 32,680            | 31,303            | 4.4                  | 17.3                                 | 17.2 | 37   | 36   | 0.1                      |
| Texas <sup>4</sup>       | 472,873               | 120,195           | 88,041            | 36.5                 | 25.4                                 | 19.4 | 24   | 32   | 6.0                      |
| Utah                     | 58,473                | 10,131            | 10,022            | 1.1                  | 17.3                                 | 17.5 | 37   | 35   | -0.2                     |
| Vermont                  | 16,521                | 6,518             | 5,999             | 8.7                  | 39.5                                 | 37.4 | 10   | 7    | 2.1                      |
| Virginia                 | 180,256               | 61,439            | 53,052            | 15.8                 | 34.1                                 | 29.3 | 16   | 19   | 4.8                      |
| Washington               | 159,006               | 58,261            | 44,479            | 31.0                 | 36.6                                 | 29.4 | 14   | 18   | 7.2                      |
| West Virginia            | 107,773               | 15,495            | 14,046            | 10.3                 | 14.4                                 | 13.1 | 43   | 43   | 1.3                      |
| Wisconsin                | 196,658               | 33,160            | 24,885            | 33.3                 | 16.9                                 | 14.3 | 40   | 40   | 2.6                      |
| Wyoming                  | 18,426                | 4,587             | 4,320             | 6.2                  | 24.9                                 | 24.3 | 25   | 23   | 0.6                      |
| U.S.A. <sup>5</sup>      | 8,649,495             | 2,534,846         | 2,204,884         | 15.0                 | 29.3                                 | 27.0 | —    | —    | 2.3                      |

<sup>1</sup> All enrollments are the actual data sent, unless otherwise indicated.<sup>2</sup> Estimated enrollments. See Introduction.<sup>3</sup> 1959 data used.<sup>4</sup> See Introduction, "Texas Data for 1959 and 1960."<sup>5</sup> See Introduction, "Revision of 1959 Data."

TABLE 3. CONTINUITY OF STUDY: 1959 COURSE II STUDENTS IN 1960 COURSE III<sup>1</sup>

|                          | FL Totals      |                 | Per Cent Continuing and Rank |      | MFL Totals     |                 | Per Cent Continuing and Rank |      |
|--------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------|----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|------|
|                          | Course II 1959 | Course III 1960 | %                            | Rank | Course II 1959 | Course III 1960 | %                            | Rank |
| Alabama                  | 6,956          | 707             | 10.2                         | 38   | 4,541          | 487             | 10.7                         | 41   |
| Alaska                   | 534            | 44              | 8.2                          | 42   | 405            | 31              | 7.7                          | 42   |
| Arizona                  | 5,243          | 811             | 15.5                         | 25   | 4,239          | 715             | 16.9                         | 30   |
| Arkansas                 | 2,315          | 130             | 5.6                          | 44   | 1,137          | 64              | 5.6                          | 43   |
| California <sup>2</sup>  | 79,728         | 28,001          | 35.1                         | 3    | 66,214         | 25,155          | 38.0                         | 4    |
| Colorado                 | 7,700          | 1,449           | 18.8                         | 21   | 5,193          | 1,169           | 22.5                         | 22   |
| Connecticut <sup>2</sup> | 15,679         | 4,845           | 30.9                         | 6    | 9,812          | 3,324           | 33.9                         | 5    |
| Delaware                 | 2,740          | 437             | 15.9                         | 24   | 1,881          | 341             | 18.1                         | 25   |
| D. of Columbia           | 2,439          | 629             | 25.8                         | 9    | 1,795          | 412             | 23.0                         | 20   |
| Florida                  | 20,133         | 2,151           | 10.7                         | 35   | 12,691         | 1,536           | 12.1                         | 38   |
| Georgia                  | 12,125         | 473             | 3.9                          | 46   | 7,034          | 233             | 3.3                          | 46   |
| Hawaii                   | 1,371          | 13              | 0.9                          | 50   | 769            | 13              | 1.7                          | 49   |
| Idaho                    | 2,449          | 212             | 8.7                          | 40   | 1,433          | 187             | 13.0                         | 36   |
| Illinois                 | 43,679         | 6,514           | 14.9                         | 27   | 28,519         | 4,920           | 17.3                         | 26   |
| Indiana                  | 15,785         | 5,316           | 33.7                         | 4    | 7,572          | 3,385           | 44.7                         | 3    |
| Iowa <sup>3</sup>        | —              | —               | —                            | —    | —              | —               | —                            | —    |
| Kansas                   | 5,085          | 1,286           | 25.3                         | 10   | 2,981          | 904             | 30.3                         | 10   |
| Kentucky                 | 5,329          | 657             | 12.3                         | 33   | 2,621          | 303             | 11.6                         | 40   |
| Louisiana                | 5,128          | 549             | 10.7                         | 35   | 4,159          | 513             | 12.3                         | 37   |
| Maine                    | 4,540          | 1,116           | 24.6                         | 12   | 2,856          | 891             | 31.2                         | 9    |
| Maryland                 | 16,290         | 3,566           | 21.9                         | 16   | 11,296         | 2,719           | 24.1                         | 17   |
| Massachusetts            | 36,304         | 11,458          | 31.6                         | 5    | 23,898         | 8,042           | 33.7                         | 7    |
| Michigan                 | 24,898         | 3,729           | 15.0                         | 26   | 14,160         | 2,692           | 19.0                         | 24   |
| Minnesota                | 10,820         | 2,375           | 22.0                         | 15   | 6,830          | 1,997           | 29.2                         | 11   |
| Mississippi              | 2,671          | 231             | 8.6                          | 41   | 1,169          | 154             | 13.2                         | 35   |
| Missouri                 | 7,896          | 1,336           | 16.9                         | 23   | 5,047          | 1,005           | 19.9                         | 23   |
| Montana                  | 2,019          | 212             | 10.5                         | 37   | 1,249          | 212             | 17.0                         | 29   |
| Nebraska                 | 2,170          | 610             | 28.1                         | 8    | 1,190          | 270             | 22.7                         | 21   |
| Nevada                   | 1,273          | 124             | 9.7                          | 39   | 1,036          | 122             | 11.8                         | 39   |
| New Hampshire            | 3,215          | 792             | 24.6                         | 12   | 1,954          | 570             | 29.2                         | 11   |
| New Jersey               | 40,827         | 10,169          | 24.9                         | 11   | 30,705         | 8,479           | 27.6                         | 13   |
| New Mexico               | 4,192          | 593             | 14.1                         | 30   | 3,360          | 582             | 17.3                         | 26   |
| New York                 | 78,801         | 44,681          | 56.7                         | 1    | 58,808         | 38,051          | 64.7                         | 1    |
| North Carolina           | 20,697         | 773             | 3.7                          | 47   | 14,767         | 525             | 3.6                          | 45   |
| North Dakota             | 1,112          | 39              | 3.5                          | 49   | 457            | 13              | 2.8                          | 48   |
| Ohio                     | 42,026         | 4,978           | 11.8                         | 34   | 21,027         | 3,429           | 16.3                         | 32   |
| Oklahoma                 | 5,968          | 822             | 13.8                         | 31   | 3,511          | 580             | 16.5                         | 31   |
| Oregon                   | 6,838          | 1,347           | 19.7                         | 19   | 4,580          | 1,069           | 23.3                         | 18   |
| Pennsylvania             | 59,095         | 13,673          | 23.1                         | 14   | 34,502         | 11,651          | 33.8                         | 6    |
| Rhode Island             | 4,926          | 1,885           | 38.3                         | 2    | 3,594          | 1,672           | 46.5                         | 2    |
| South Carolina           | 8,291          | 371             | 4.5                          | 45   | 4,944          | 249             | 5.0                          | 44   |
| South Dakota             | 1,076          | 63              | 5.9                          | 43   | 550            | 0               | 0.0                          | 50   |
| Tennessee                | 7,932          | 1,445           | 18.2                         | 22   | 3,857          | 1,062           | 27.5                         | 14   |
| Texas <sup>4</sup>       | 30,514         | 4,066           | 13.3                         | 32   | 23,149         | 3,118           | 13.5                         | 34   |
| Utah                     | 2,484          | 354             | 14.3                         | 29   | 2,274          | 339             | 14.9                         | 33   |
| Vermont                  | 2,102          | 415             | 19.7                         | 19   | 1,118          | 301             | 26.9                         | 15   |
| Virginia                 | 18,650         | 2,765           | 14.8                         | 28   | 11,040         | 1,890           | 17.1                         | 28   |
| Washington               | 15,700         | 4,710           | 30.0                         | 7    | 11,266         | 3,577           | 31.8                         | 8    |
| West Virginia            | 4,686          | 168             | 3.6                          | 48   | 2,042          | 64              | 3.1                          | 47   |
| Wisconsin                | 8,130          | 1,751           | 21.5                         | 17   | 5,044          | 1,292           | 25.6                         | 16   |
| Wyoming                  | 1,482          | 316             | 21.3                         | 18   | 737            | 171             | 23.2                         | 19   |
| U.S.A.                   | 712,043        | 175,157         | 24.6                         | —    | 475,011        | 140,480         | 29.6                         | —    |

<sup>1</sup> Continuity in FLs covers French, German, Italian, Latin, Russian, and Spanish; in MFLs, the same minus Latin.<sup>2</sup> Estimated enrollments. See Introduction.<sup>3</sup> 1959 data not available.<sup>4</sup> See Introduction, "Texas Data for 1959 and 1960."

TABLE 4. HIGH-SCHOOL OFFERINGS IN FOREIGN LANGUAGES, FALL 1960

|                           | No. High Schools Reported |          |           | Per Cent Offering Languages |       |       |       | Rank |      |      |      | Gain or Loss |       |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------|-----------|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|--------------|-------|
|                           | Total 1960                | FLs 1960 | MFLs 1960 | FLs                         |       | MFLs  |       | FLs  |      | MFLs |      | Per Cent     |       |
|                           |                           |          |           | 1960                        | 1959  | 1960  | 1959  | 1960 | 1959 | 1960 | 1959 | FLs          | MFLs  |
| Alabama <sup>1</sup>      | 565                       | 189      | 164       | 33.5                        | 33.5  | 29.0  | 29.0  | 47   | 45   | 46   | 44   | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| Alaska                    | 31                        | 15       | 13        | 48.4                        | 44.8  | 41.9  | 34.5  | 41   | 41   | 39   | 42   | 3.6          | 7.4   |
| Arizona                   | 92                        | 88       | 88        | 95.7                        | 95.1  | 95.7  | 95.1  | 12   | 14   | 9    | 10   | 0.6          | 0.6   |
| Arkansas                  | 494                       | 152      | 137       | 30.8                        | 28.9  | 27.7  | 23.8  | 49   | 49   | 47   | 46   | 1.9          | 3.9   |
| California <sup>1</sup>   | 566                       | 561      | 559       | 99.1                        | 99.1  | 98.8  | 98.8  | 8    | 8    | 6    | 6    | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| Colorado                  | 267                       | 201      | 188       | 75.3                        | 70.9  | 70.4  | 65.2  | 29   | 33   | 28   | 29   | 4.4          | 5.2   |
| Connecticut <sup>1</sup>  | 183                       | 172      | 166       | 94.0                        | 94.0  | 90.7  | 90.7  | 15   | 18   | 15   | 15   | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| Delaware                  | 36                        | 36       | 36        | 100.0                       | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| D. of Columbia            | 14                        | 13       | 13        | 92.9                        | 100.0 | 92.9  | 100.0 | 18   | 1    | 12   | 1    | - 7.1        | - 7.1 |
| Florida                   | 344                       | 258      | 244       | 75.0                        | 66.1  | 70.9  | 61.9  | 30   | 34   | 27   | 32   | 8.9          | 9.0   |
| Georgia <sup>2</sup>      | 503                       | 503      | 335       | 100.0                       | 100.0 | 66.6  | 66.6  | 1    | 1    | 30   | 27   | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| Hawaii                    | 33                        | 28       | 28        | 84.8                        | 93.3  | 84.8  | 86.7  | 23   | 19   | 20   | 18   | - 8.5        | - 1.9 |
| Idaho                     | 128                       | 95       | 87        | 74.2                        | 71.9  | 68.0  | 66.4  | 31   | 31   | 29   | 28   | 2.3          | 1.6   |
| Illinois <sup>3</sup>     | 753                       | 706      | —         | 93.8                        | 84.4  | —     | 62.8  | 17   | 22   | —    | 31   | 9.4          | —     |
| Indiana                   | 644                       | 535      | 336       | 83.1                        | 82.1  | 50.2  | 46.3  | 26   | 25   | 34   | 35   | 1.0          | 3.9   |
| Iowa <sup>1</sup>         | 614                       | 325      | 230       | 52.9                        | 52.9  | 37.5  | 35.7  | 39   | 38   | 41   | 39   | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| Kansas                    | 571                       | 303      | 252       | 53.1                        | 48.2  | 44.1  | 36.6  | 38   | 40   | 37   | 40   | 4.9          | 7.5   |
| Kentucky                  | 385                       | 276      | 227       | 71.7                        | 62.2  | 59.0  | 47.5  | 32   | 35   | 32   | 34   | 9.5          | 11.5  |
| Louisiana                 | 140                       | 106      | 106       | 75.7                        | 72.4  | 75.7  | 64.2  | 28   | 30   | 24   | 30   | 3.3          | 11.5  |
| Maine                     | 178                       | 177      | 169       | 99.4                        | 98.9  | 94.9  | 94.4  | 7    | 9    | 10   | 11   | 0.5          | 0.5   |
| Maryland                  | 149                       | 138      | 133       | 92.6                        | 94.7  | 89.3  | 90.7  | 19   | 15   | 16   | 15   | - 2.1        | - 1.4 |
| Massachusetts             | 247                       | 246      | 246       | 99.6                        | 100.0 | 99.6  | 100.0 | 6    | 1    | 4    | 1    | - 0.4        | - 0.4 |
| Michigan                  | 584                       | 492      | 435       | 84.2                        | 81.7  | 74.5  | 69.4  | 24   | 26   | 25   | 25   | 2.5          | 5.1   |
| Minnesota                 | 488                       | 248      | 200       | 50.8                        | 53.5  | 41.0  | 43.0  | 40   | 37   | 40   | 37   | - 2.7        | - 2.0 |
| Mississippi               | 495                       | 151      | 108       | 30.5                        | 33.2  | 21.8  | 20.5  | 50   | 46   | 49   | 49   | - 2.7        | 1.3   |
| Missouri                  | 567                       | 273      | 245       | 48.1                        | 38.9  | 43.2  | 31.1  | 42   | 43   | 38   | 43   | 9.2          | 12.1  |
| Montana                   | 172                       | 98       | 84        | 57.0                        | 54.3  | 48.8  | 43.9  | 37   | 36   | 35   | 36   | 2.7          | 4.9   |
| Nebraska                  | 417                       | 173      | 136       | 41.5                        | 35.9  | 32.6  | 25.1  | 44   | 44   | 44   | 45   | 5.6          | 7.5   |
| Nevada                    | 35                        | 30       | 30        | 85.7                        | 82.4  | 85.7  | 79.4  | 22   | 24   | 19   | 20   | 3.3          | 6.3   |
| New Hampshire             | 86                        | 85       | 85        | 98.8                        | 98.8  | 98.8  | 97.7  | 9    | 10   | 6    | 7    | 0.0          | 1.1   |
| New Jersey                | 238                       | 238      | 237       | 100.0                       | 100.0 | 99.6  | 99.6  | 1    | 1    | 4    | 5    | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| New Mexico                | 139                       | 127      | 127       | 91.4                        | 90.7  | 91.4  | 90.7  | 20   | 21   | 14   | 15   | 0.7          | 0.7   |
| New York                  | 860                       | 829      | 802       | 96.4                        | 98.3  | 93.3  | 93.7  | 10   | 12   | 11   | 12   | - 1.9        | - 0.4 |
| North Carolina            | 805                       | 757      | 748       | 94.0                        | 91.2  | 92.9  | 88.7  | 15   | 20   | 12   | 17   | 2.8          | 4.2   |
| North Dakota <sup>1</sup> | 208                       | 69       | 46        | 33.2                        | 33.2  | 22.1  | 22.1  | 48   | 46   | 48   | 48   | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| Ohio                      | 901                       | 857      | 695       | 95.1                        | 94.6  | 77.1  | 67.4  | 13   | 16   | 22   | 26   | 0.5          | 9.7   |
| Oklahoma                  | 617                       | 211      | 199       | 34.2                        | 24.1  | 32.3  | 22.3  | 46   | 50   | 45   | 47   | 10.1         | 10.0  |
| Oregon                    | 253                       | 209      | 193       | 82.6                        | 77.2  | 76.3  | 74.4  | 27   | 27   | 23   | 23   | 5.4          | 1.9   |
| Pennsylvania              | 765                       | 698      | 660       | 91.2                        | 96.1  | 86.3  | 92.0  | 21   | 13   | 17   | 13   | - 4.9        | - 5.7 |
| Rhode Island              | 33                        | 33       | 33        | 100.0                       | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 1    | 1    | 1    | 1    | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| South Carolina            | 365                       | 304      | 285       | 83.3                        | 83.4  | 78.1  | 76.3  | 25   | 23   | 21   | 21   | - 0.1        | 1.8   |
| South Dakota              | 251                       | 102      | 84        | 40.6                        | 29.0  | 33.5  | 20.1  | 45   | 48   | 43   | 50   | 11.6         | 13.4  |
| Tennessee <sup>1</sup>    | 461                       | 204      | 163       | 44.2                        | 44.2  | 35.4  | 35.4  | 43   | 42   | 42   | 41   | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| Texas                     | —                         | —        | —         | —                           | —     | —     | —     | —    | —    | —    | —    | —            | —     |
| Utah                      | 82                        | 58       | 58        | 71.1                        | 76.6  | 71.1  | 75.3  | 34   | 28   | 26   | 22   | - 5.5        | - 4.2 |
| Vermont                   | 78                        | 75       | 75        | 96.2                        | 98.7  | 96.2  | 98.7  | 11   | 11   | 8    | 7    | - 2.5        | - 2.5 |
| Virginia <sup>1</sup>     | 389                       | 368      | 335       | 94.6                        | 94.6  | 86.1  | 86.1  | 14   | 16   | 18   | 19   | 0.0          | 0.0   |
| Washington                | 255                       | 255      | 255       | 100.0                       | 100.0 | 100.0 | 95.4  | 1    | 1    | 1    | 9    | 0.0          | 4.6   |
| West Virginia             | 243                       | 174      | 150       | 71.6                        | 71.0  | 61.7  | 54.8  | 33   | 32   | 31   | 33   | 0.6          | 6.9   |
| Wisconsin                 | 415                       | 239      | 197       | 57.6                        | 49.5  | 47.5  | 43.0  | 36   | 39   | 36   | 37   | 8.1          | 4.5   |
| Wyoming                   | 77                        | 47       | 45        | 61.0                        | 74.7  | 58.4  | 69.6  | 35   | 29   | 33   | 24   | -13.7        | -11.2 |
| U.S.A.                    | 17,216                    | 12,527   | 10,467    | 72.8                        | 70.4  | 60.8  | 60.0  | —    | —    | —    | —    | 2.4          | 0.8   |

<sup>1</sup> 1959 data.<sup>2</sup> Estimated by State Education Department, 1959 data.<sup>3</sup> 1961 data.

Arizona (95.7%), Ohio (95.1%), North Carolina (94.0%), District of Columbia (92.9%), Maryland (92.6%), New Mexico (91.4%), Pennsylvania (91.2%). In the same range are probably four other states: California (99.1% in 1959), Connecticut (94.0% in 1959), Virginia (94.6% in 1959), and Illinois (93.8% in 1961).

Twelve states and the District of Columbia reported that at least nine tenths of their high schools offered one or more *modern* foreign languages in 1960: Delaware, Rhode Island, and Washington (100%), Massachusetts and New Jersey (99.6%), New Hampshire (98.8%), Vermont (96.2%), Arizona (95.7%), Maine (94.9%), New York (93.3%), District of Columbia and North Carolina (92.9%), New Mexico (91.4%). In the same range are probably California (98.8% in 1959) and Connecticut (90.7% in 1959).

Ten states reported foreign-language offerings in less than half their high schools: Alaska (48.4%), Missouri (48.1%), Tennessee (44.2%), Nebraska (41.5%), South Dakota (40.6%), Oklahoma (34.2%), Alabama (33.5%), North Dakota (33.2%), Arkansas (30.8%), and Mississippi (30.5%).

Fifteen states offered *modern* foreign languages in less than half their high schools: Montana (48.8%), Wisconsin (47.5%), Kansas (44.1%), Missouri (43.2%), Alaska (41.9%), Minnesota (41.0%), Iowa (37.5%), Tennessee (35.4%), South Dakota (33.5%), Nebraska (32.6%), Oklahoma (32.3%), Alabama (29.0%), Arkansas (27.7%), North Dakota (22.1%), and Mississippi (21.8%).

Two states showed gains of 10 per cent or more over 1959 in the per cent of high schools that offered foreign languages: South Dakota (11.6%) and Oklahoma (10.1%). The biggest losses were in Wyoming (13.7%), Hawaii (8.5%), the District of Columbia (7.1%), and Utah (5.5%). Eight other states had losses of less than five per cent.

Five states showed at least a ten per cent gain in *modern-foreign-language* offerings: South Dakota (13.4%), Missouri (12.1%), Kentucky and Louisiana (11.5%), and Oklahoma (10.0%). Nine states and the District of Columbia showed losses, with Wyoming (11.2%), the District of Columbia (7.1%), and Pennsylvania (5.7%) having losses of more than five per cent.

#### INDIVIDUAL LANGUAGE ENROLLMENTS

Enrollments in Latin (Table 5) increased 3.4 per cent, from 639,776 in 1959 to 661,563 in 1960. But the per cent of Latin enrollments to the total high-school population showed a slight

decrease, from 7.8 per cent in 1959 to 7.6 per cent in 1960. Continuity of study from Course II in 1959 to Course III in 1960 was only 14.6 per cent. The range was from 34.7 per cent in Nebraska to 0.0 per cent in Hawaii and Montana. Massachusetts again ranked first with 16.7 per cent of its public-high-school students enrolled in Latin. Vermont followed closely with 16.0 per cent. Ten other states and the District of Columbia reported more than ten per cent: Connecticut (14.6%), New Hampshire (13.6%), Delaware (13.5%), Rhode Island (13.3%), Pennsylvania (12.8%), Ohio (11.6%), District of Columbia (11.4%), Virginia (11.1%), New Jersey (10.7%), Indiana (10.5%), and Maine (10.4%). Eleven states enrolled less than five per cent of their high-school pupils in Latin. Of these, five had less than three per cent: Mississippi (2.9%), Arkansas (2.8%), Alabama (2.4%), Louisiana (2.0%), and Utah (1.7%).

Enrollments in French (Table 6) increased 23.8 per cent, from 603,733 in 1959 to 747,486 in 1960. French rose from 7.4 per cent of the total high-school population in 1959 to 8.6 per cent in 1960, replacing Latin as the second most popular foreign language. Continuity of study from Course II in 1959 to Course III in 1960 was 31.4 per cent, the highest of any of the major foreign languages. The range in continuity was from 62.3 per cent in New York to 0.0 per cent in Alaska and South Dakota. Enrollments ranged from a high of 25.7 per cent in Rhode Island to a low of 1.5 per cent in South Dakota.

Twelve other states and the District of Columbia enrolled more than 10 per cent of their high-school students in French: Massachusetts (24.9%), New Hampshire (24.6%), Vermont (21.8%), Maryland (21.2%), Maine (21.1%), Delaware (18.9%), Connecticut (17.2%), New York (16.9%), North Carolina (15.0%), New Jersey (14.3%), District of Columbia (13.9%), Virginia (13.1%), and Pennsylvania (12.6%).

Twenty-five states reported less than five per cent of their high-school students enrolled in French. Of these, eight had less than three per cent: Oklahoma (2.8%), Arkansas (2.7%), North Dakota and Texas (2.3%), Mississippi and New Mexico (2.2%), Iowa (1.9%), and South Dakota (1.5%).

Total high-school enrollments in German (Table 7) increased 22.4 per cent, from 123,581 in 1959 to 151,261 in 1960. The per cent of German enrollments within the total high-school population rose from 1.5 in 1959 to 1.7 in 1960. In continuity of 1959 Course II students in 1960 Course III German ranked third with 28.4 per

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TABLE 5. ENROLLMENTS IN LATIN COURSES I-V, FALL 1960

|                          | I       | II      | III    | IV    | V  | Un-<br>classi-<br>fied | Totals  | % HSP (9-12) |      | Continuity II-III <sup>b</sup>  |                             |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|--------|-------|----|------------------------|---------|--------------|------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|                          |         |         |        |       |    |                        |         | 1960         | 1959 | Enrollment<br>Course<br>II 1959 | % 1959<br>II in<br>1960 III |
| Alabama                  | 2,233   | 1,753   | 220    | 12    | 0  |                        | 4,218   | 2.4          | 3.3  | 2,415                           | 9.1                         |
| Alaska                   | 364     | 264     | 13     | 0     | 0  |                        | 641     | 8.4          | 5.5  | 131                             | 9.9                         |
| Arizona                  | 2,243   | 1,255   | 96     | 10    | 0  |                        | 3,604   | 5.4          | 5.3  | 1,004                           | 9.6                         |
| Arkansas                 | 1,599   | 1,213   | 66     | 0     | 0  |                        | 2,878   | 2.8          | 3.1  | 1,178                           | 5.6                         |
| California <sup>1</sup>  | 20,289  | 12,824  | 2,846  | 620   | 0  |                        | 36,579  | 4.9          | 5.1  | 13,514                          | 21.1                        |
| Colorado                 | 5,073   | 2,610   | 280    | 22    | 0  | 135                    | 8,120   | 9.0          | 8.7  | 2,507                           | 11.2                        |
| Connecticut <sup>1</sup> | 7,790   | 6,376   | 1,521  | 678   | 0  |                        | 16,365  | 14.6         | 14.2 | 5,876                           | 25.9                        |
| Delaware                 | 1,630   | 923     | 96     | 24    | 0  |                        | 2,673   | 13.5         | 13.4 | 859                             | 11.2                        |
| D. of Columbia           | 969     | 849     | 217    | 73    | 0  |                        | 2,108   | 11.4         | 10.3 | 644                             | 33.7                        |
| Florida                  | 11,038  | 7,005   | 615    | 60    | 0  |                        | 18,718  | 8.2          | 8.5  | 7,442                           | 8.3                         |
| Georgia                  | 8,148   | 5,019   | 240    | 6     | 0  |                        | 13,413  | 6.3          | 6.3  | 5,091                           | 4.7                         |
| Hawaii                   | 1,272   | 786     | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 2,058   | 5.8          | 5.1  | 602                             | 0.0                         |
| Idaho                    | 1,548   | 913     | 25     | 0     | 0  |                        | 2,486   | 5.9          | 6.7  | 1,016                           | 2.5                         |
| Illinois                 | 21,017  | 13,164  | 1,594  | 507   | 0  |                        | 36,282  | 8.5          | 9.2  | 15,160                          | 10.5                        |
| Indiana                  | 14,219  | 7,510   | 1,931  | 401   | 0  |                        | 24,061  | 10.5         | 10.4 | 8,213                           | 23.5                        |
| Iowa <sup>2</sup>        | —       | —       | —      | —     | —  | 6,747                  | 6,747   | 4.9          | 4.9  | —                               | —                           |
| Kansas                   | 6,457   | 3,059   | 382    | 148   | 0  |                        | 10,046  | 8.2          | 7.1  | 2,104                           | 18.2                        |
| Kentucky                 | 5,097   | 2,657   | 354    | 100   | 0  |                        | 8,208   | 5.8          | 6.1  | 2,708                           | 13.1                        |
| Louisiana                | 2,168   | 889     | 36     | 34    | 0  |                        | 3,127   | 2.0          | 2.0  | 969                             | 3.7                         |
| Maine                    | 3,311   | 1,491   | 225    | 3     | 0  |                        | 5,030   | 10.4         | 11.2 | 1,684                           | 13.4                        |
| Maryland                 | 5,259   | 4,444   | 847    | 191   | 6  |                        | 10,747  | 7.6          | 8.4  | 4,994                           | 17.0                        |
| Massachusetts            | 20,696  | 11,839  | 3,416  | 1,588 | 0  |                        | 37,539  | 16.7         | 16.8 | 12,406                          | 27.5                        |
| Michigan                 | 18,635  | 10,611  | 1,037  | 558   | 0  |                        | 30,841  | 8.2          | 8.0  | 10,738                          | 9.7                         |
| Minnesota                | 5,551   | 3,001   | 378    | 78    | 0  |                        | 9,008   | 4.9          | 5.2  | 3,990                           | 9.5                         |
| Mississippi              | 2,044   | 1,194   | 77     | 0     | 0  |                        | 3,315   | 2.9          | 3.8  | 1,502                           | 5.1                         |
| Missouri                 | 5,236   | 2,995   | 331    | 50    | 0  |                        | 8,612   | 4.2          | 3.8  | 2,849                           | 11.6                        |
| Montana                  | 1,484   | 766     | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 2,250   | 6.2          | 6.4  | 770                             | 0.0                         |
| Nebraska                 | 2,210   | 1,187   | 340    | 48    | 0  |                        | 3,785   | 5.5          | 5.6  | 980                             | 34.7                        |
| Nevada                   | 488     | 210     | 2      | 0     | 0  |                        | 700     | 5.0          | 5.2  | 237                             | 0.8                         |
| New Hampshire            | 2,096   | 1,014   | 222    | 90    | 0  |                        | 3,422   | 13.6         | 13.0 | 1,261                           | 17.6                        |
| New Jersey               | 16,014  | 9,891   | 1,690  | 449   | 0  |                        | 28,094  | 10.7         | 11.1 | 10,122                          | 16.7                        |
| New Mexico               | 1,314   | 888     | 11     | 13    | 0  |                        | 2,226   | 4.2          | 7.0  | 832                             | 1.3                         |
| New York                 | 26,929  | 17,632  | 6,630  | 1,256 | 12 |                        | 52,459  | 7.4          | 8.7  | 19,993                          | 33.2                        |
| North Carolina           | 9,157   | 5,977   | 248    | 94    | 0  |                        | 15,476  | 5.8          | 5.7  | 5,930                           | 4.2                         |
| North Dakota             | 1,077   | 839     | 26     | 26    | 0  |                        | 1,968   | 5.5          | 4.7  | 655                             | 4.0                         |
| Ohio                     | 30,293  | 19,158  | 1,349  | 613   | 25 |                        | 51,638  | 11.6         | 11.8 | 20,999                          | 7.4                         |
| Oklahoma                 | 4,225   | 2,578   | 242    | 39    | 0  |                        | 7,084   | 4.9          | 4.8  | 2,457                           | 9.8                         |
| Oregon                   | 4,205   | 2,654   | 278    | 118   | 0  |                        | 7,255   | 6.6          | 5.8  | 2,258                           | 12.3                        |
| Pennsylvania             | 40,901  | 21,693  | 2,022  | 655   | 0  |                        | 65,271  | 12.8         | 13.7 | 24,593                          | 8.2                         |
| Rhode Island             | 2,516   | 1,348   | 213    | 94    | 0  |                        | 4,171   | 13.3         | 11.8 | 1,332                           | 16.0                        |
| South Carolina           | 5,845   | 3,256   | 122    | 13    | 0  |                        | 9,236   | 7.2          | 7.4  | 3,347                           | 3.6                         |
| South Dakota             | 1,309   | 526     | 63     | 0     | 0  |                        | 1,898   | 5.0          | 4.7  | 526                             | 12.0                        |
| Tennessee                | 9,916   | 3,902   | 383    | 112   | 0  |                        | 14,313  | 7.6          | 8.0  | 4,075                           | 9.4                         |
| Texas <sup>3</sup>       | 14,293  | 8,114   | 948    | 199   | 52 |                        | 23,606  | 5.0          | 4.1  | 7,365                           | 12.9                        |
| Utah                     | 589     | 411     | 15     | 0     | 0  |                        | 1,015   | 1.7          | 1.2  | 210                             | 7.1                         |
| Vermont                  | 1,678   | 824     | 114    | 25    | 0  |                        | 2,641   | 16.0         | 15.5 | 984                             | 11.6                        |
| Virginia                 | 10,434  | 8,498   | 875    | 220   | 0  |                        | 20,027  | 11.1         | 11.1 | 7,610                           | 11.5                        |
| Washington               | 8,601   | 5,423   | 1,133  | 406   | 0  |                        | 15,563  | 9.8          | 7.2  | 4,434                           | 25.6                        |
| West Virginia            | 4,125   | 2,418   | 104    | 0     | 0  |                        | 6,647   | 6.2          | 6.5  | 2,644                           | 3.9                         |
| Wisconsin                | 6,713   | 4,482   | 459    | 178   | 0  |                        | 11,832  | 6.0          | 5.3  | 3,086                           | 14.9                        |
| Wyoming                  | 988     | 374     | 145    | 55    | 0  |                        | 1,562   | 8.5          | 9.1  | 745                             | 19.5                        |
| U.S.A. <sup>4</sup>      | 381,286 | 228,707 | 34,677 | 9,916 | 95 | 6,882                  | 661,563 | 7.6          | 7.8  | 237,032                         | 14.6                        |

<sup>1</sup> Estimated enrollments. See Introduction.<sup>2</sup> Data for 1959.<sup>3</sup> See Introduction, "Texas Data for 1959 and 1960."<sup>4</sup> See Introduction, "Revision of 1959 Data."<sup>5</sup> See Column 4 for totals in Course III.

TABLE 6. ENROLLMENTS IN FRENCH COURSES I-V, FALL 1960

|                          | I       | II      | III    | IV    | V   | Un-<br>classi-<br>fied | Totals  | % HSP (9-12) |      | Continuity II-III <sup>6</sup>  |                             |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|--------|-------|-----|------------------------|---------|--------------|------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|                          |         |         |        |       |     |                        |         | 1960         | 1959 | Enrollment<br>Course<br>II 1959 | % 1959<br>II in<br>1960 III |
| Alabama                  | 3,649   | 2,129   | 203    | 29    | 6   |                        | 6,016   | 3.5          | 3.3  | 2,003                           | 10.1                        |
| Alaska                   | 184     | 100     | 0      | 0     | 0   |                        | 284     | 3.7          | 2.8  | 79                              | 0.0                         |
| Arizona                  | 1,372   | 615     | 72     | 27    | 0   |                        | 2,086   | 3.1          | 2.5  | 401                             | 18.0                        |
| Arkansas                 | 2,115   | 707     | 29     | 0     | 0   |                        | 2,851   | 2.7          | 2.0  | 503                             | 5.8                         |
| California <sup>1</sup>  | 38,113  | 19,011  | 6,087  | 1,212 | 0   |                        | 64,423  | 8.6          | 6.5  | 14,195                          | 42.9                        |
| Colorado                 | 3,378   | 1,473   | 284    | 44    | 15  | 37                     | 5,231   | 5.8          | 4.3  | 979                             | 29.0                        |
| Connecticut <sup>1</sup> | 9,787   | 6,944   | 2,148  | 327   | 0   |                        | 19,206  | 17.2         | 14.3 | 5,070                           | 42.4                        |
| Delaware                 | 2,299   | 1,132   | 187    | 73    | 45  |                        | 3,736   | 18.9         | 18.8 | 954                             | 19.6                        |
| D. of Columbia           | 1,322   | 896     | 256    | 111   | 0   |                        | 2,585   | 13.9         | 12.7 | 860                             | 29.8                        |
| Florida                  | 5,929   | 2,693   | 171    | 16    | 0   |                        | 8,809   | 3.9          | 3.1  | 2,165                           | 7.9                         |
| Georgia                  | 12,101  | 6,346   | 129    | 20    | 0   |                        | 18,596  | 8.8          | 7.5  | 4,365                           | 3.0                         |
| Hawaii                   | 909     | 633     | 13     | 0     | 0   |                        | 1,555   | 4.4          | 3.5  | 334                             | 3.9                         |
| Idaho                    | 909     | 403     | 41     | 0     | 0   |                        | 1,353   | 3.2          | 2.7  | 276                             | 14.9                        |
| Illinois                 | 16,154  | 8,068   | 1,668  | 467   | 17  |                        | 26,374  | 6.2          | 5.5  | 7,736                           | 21.6                        |
| Indiana                  | 4,613   | 2,854   | 1,242  | 251   | 0   |                        | 8,960   | 3.9          | 3.0  | 2,214                           | 56.1                        |
| Iowa <sup>2</sup>        | —       | —       | —      | —     | —   | 2,664                  | 2,664   | 1.9          | 1.9  | —                               | —                           |
| Kansas                   | 4,029   | 1,504   | 350    | 72    | 0   |                        | 5,955   | 4.8          | 3.5  | 728                             | 48.1                        |
| Kentucky                 | 3,994   | 1,548   | 140    | 0     | 0   |                        | 5,682   | 4.0          | 4.0  | 1,311                           | 10.7                        |
| Louisiana                | 6,469   | 2,544   | 179    | 23    | 0   |                        | 9,215   | 5.8          | 4.9  | 1,975                           | 9.1                         |
| Maine                    | 5,514   | 3,840   | 853    | 56    | 0   |                        | 10,263  | 21.1         | 19.0 | 2,725                           | 31.3                        |
| Maryland                 | 17,800  | 9,525   | 2,051  | 437   | 0   |                        | 29,813  | 21.2         | 15.5 | 7,290                           | 28.1                        |
| Massachusetts            | 29,154  | 17,069  | 6,624  | 3,256 | 57  |                        | 56,160  | 24.9         | 24.8 | 17,311                          | 38.3                        |
| Michigan                 | 15,799  | 7,710   | 1,278  | 541   | 0   |                        | 25,328  | 6.7          | 5.5  | 5,983                           | 21.4                        |
| Minnesota                | 3,278   | 1,777   | 570    | 93    | 0   |                        | 5,718   | 3.1          | 2.8  | 1,672                           | 34.1                        |
| Mississippi              | 1,951   | 529     | 29     | 0     | 0   |                        | 2,509   | 2.2          | 1.7  | 448                             | 6.5                         |
| Missouri                 | 5,241   | 2,283   | 492    | 75    | 0   |                        | 8,091   | 4.0          | 2.8  | 1,634                           | 30.1                        |
| Montana                  | 1,187   | 489     | 109    | 3     | 0   |                        | 1,788   | 4.9          | 3.8  | 375                             | 29.1                        |
| Nebraska                 | 1,474   | 642     | 109    | 29    | 0   |                        | 2,254   | 3.3          | 2.2  | 367                             | 29.7                        |
| Nevada                   | 739     | 244     | 55     | 3     | 0   |                        | 1,041   | 7.5          | 4.9  | 252                             | 21.8                        |
| New Hampshire            | 3,624   | 1,961   | 555    | 47    | 0   |                        | 6,187   | 24.6         | 19.9 | 1,701                           | 32.6                        |
| New Jersey               | 21,454  | 11,702  | 3,704  | 762   | 23  |                        | 37,645  | 14.3         | 13.1 | 10,733                          | 34.5                        |
| New Mexico               | 802     | 359     | 27     | 1     | 0   |                        | 1,189   | 2.2          | 2.2  | 173                             | 15.6                        |
| New York                 | 60,621  | 39,754  | 17,748 | 2,681 | 70  |                        | 120,874 | 16.9         | 18.2 | 28,510                          | 62.3                        |
| North Carolina           | 25,027  | 14,430  | 364    | 36    | 0   |                        | 39,857  | 15.0         | 13.2 | 11,585                          | 3.1                         |
| North Dakota             | 545     | 260     | 13     | 0     | 0   |                        | 818     | 2.3          | 1.6  | 142                             | 9.2                         |
| Ohio                     | 19,210  | 10,715  | 1,835  | 524   | 64  |                        | 32,348  | 7.3          | 6.1  | 8,286                           | 22.1                        |
| Oklahoma                 | 2,711   | 1,066   | 215    | 0     | 0   |                        | 3,992   | 2.8          | 2.2  | 678                             | 31.7                        |
| Oregon                   | 3,819   | 2,120   | 291    | 148   | 0   |                        | 6,378   | 5.8          | 4.7  | 1,327                           | 21.9                        |
| Pennsylvania             | 44,124  | 16,750  | 2,495  | 837   | 0   |                        | 64,206  | 12.6         | 9.0  | 14,449                          | 17.3                        |
| Rhode Island             | 3,761   | 2,802   | 1,189  | 332   | 0   |                        | 8,084   | 25.7         | 20.6 | 2,200                           | 54.0                        |
| South Carolina           | 7,839   | 4,462   | 220    | 0     | 0   |                        | 12,521  | 9.8          | 9.8  | 3,737                           | 5.9                         |
| South Dakota             | 467     | 123     | 0      | 0     | 0   |                        | 590     | 1.5          | 1.3  | 134                             | 0.0                         |
| Tennessee                | 4,565   | 1,625   | 346    | 0     | 0   |                        | 6,536   | 3.5          | 3.0  | 1,280                           | 27.0                        |
| Texas <sup>3</sup>       | 7,436   | 3,057   | 183    | 0     | 0   |                        | 10,676  | 2.3          | 1.3  | 1,525                           | 12.0                        |
| Utah                     | 2,031   | 753     | 108    | 0     | 0   |                        | 2,892   | 4.9          | 5.0  | 770                             | 14.0                        |
| Vermont                  | 2,072   | 1,230   | 285    | 22    | 0   |                        | 3,609   | 21.8         | 19.9 | 1,001                           | 28.5                        |
| Virginia                 | 13,585  | 8,669   | 1,142  | 228   | 0   |                        | 23,624  | 13.1         | 10.2 | 6,486                           | 17.6                        |
| Washington               | 8,445   | 4,231   | 1,414  | 173   | 0   |                        | 14,263  | 9.0          | 6.5  | 3,266                           | 43.3                        |
| West Virginia            | 3,587   | 2,033   | 64     | 0     | 0   |                        | 5,684   | 5.3          | 3.8  | 1,145                           | 5.6                         |
| Wisconsin                | 3,826   | 1,902   | 409    | 95    | 16  |                        | 6,248   | 3.2          | 2.3  | 1,079                           | 37.9                        |
| Wyoming                  | 556     | 112     | 51     | 0     | 0   |                        | 719     | 3.9          | 2.9  | 133                             | 38.3                        |
| U.S.A. <sup>4</sup>      | 439,570 | 233,824 | 58,027 | 1,305 | 313 | 2,701                  | 747,486 | 8.6          | 7.4  | 184,545                         | 31.4                        |

<sup>1</sup> Estimated enrollments. See Introduction.<sup>2</sup> 1959 data.<sup>3</sup> See Introduction, "Texas Data for 1959 and 1960."<sup>4</sup> See Introduction, "Revision of 1959 data."<sup>5</sup> See Column 4 for totals in Course III.

TABLE 7. ENROLLMENTS IN GERMAN COURSES I-V, FALL 1960

|                          | I      | II     | III    | IV    | V  | Un-<br>classi-<br>fied | Totals  | % HSP (9-12) |      | Continuity II-III <sup>6</sup>  |                             |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|----|------------------------|---------|--------------|------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|                          |        |        |        |       |    |                        |         | 1960         | 1959 | Enrollment<br>Course II<br>1959 | % 1959<br>II in<br>1960 III |
| Alabama                  | 82     | 15     | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 97      | 0.06         | 0.05 | 27                              | 0.0                         |
| Alaska                   | 56     | 44     | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 100     | 1.3          | 2.4  | 53                              | 0.0                         |
| Arizona                  | 629    | 450    | 29     | 3     | 0  |                        | 1,111   | 1.7          | 1.1  | 131                             | 22.1                        |
| Arkansas                 | 66     | 42     | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 108     | 0.1          | 0.1  | 9                               | 0.0                         |
| California <sup>1</sup>  | 12,122 | 6,078  | 1,656  | 162   | 0  |                        | 20,018  | 2.7          | 2.1  | 4,308                           | 38.4                        |
| Colorado                 | 1,142  | 476    | 39     | 0     | 0  | 24                     | 1,681   | 1.9          | 1.7  | 257                             | 15.2                        |
| Connecticut <sup>1</sup> | 801    | 652    | 230    | 33    | 0  |                        | 1,716   | 1.5          | 1.5  | 592                             | 38.9                        |
| Delaware                 | 387    | 217    | 5      | 0     | 0  |                        | 609     | 3.1          | 2.3  | 148                             | 3.4                         |
| D. of Columbia           | 197    | 146    | 5      | 0     | 0  |                        | 348     | 1.9          | 2.5  | 192                             | 2.6                         |
| Florida                  | 665    | 178    | 14     | 0     | 0  |                        | 857     | 0.4          | 0.3  | 177                             | 7.9                         |
| Georgia                  | 296    | 0      | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 296     | 0.1          | 0.08 | 47                              | 0.0                         |
| Hawaii                   | 32     | 0      | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 32      | 0.09         | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Idaho                    | 601    | 164    | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 765     | 1.8          | 1.2  | 37                              | 0.0                         |
| Illinois                 | 7,844  | 4,234  | 863    | 122   | 21 |                        | 13,084  | 3.1          | 3.2  | 4,701                           | 18.4                        |
| Indiana                  | 1,257  | 1,086  | 515    | 137   | 0  |                        | 2,995   | 1.3          | 1.1  | 826                             | 62.3                        |
| Iowa <sup>2</sup>        | —      | —      | —      | —     | —  | 1,009                  | 1,009   | 0.7          | 0.7  | —                               | —                           |
| Kansas                   | 1,132  | 295    | 52     | 0     | 0  |                        | 1,479   | 1.2          | 1.0  | 204                             | 25.5                        |
| Kentucky                 | 807    | 192    | 47     | 0     | 0  |                        | 1,046   | 0.7          | 0.6  | 217                             | 21.7                        |
| Louisiana                | 149    | 118    | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 267     | 0.2          | 0.1  | 0                               | —                           |
| Maine                    | 47     | 42     | 4      | 0     | 0  |                        | 93      | 0.2          | 0.2  | 13                              | 30.8                        |
| Maryland                 | 932    | 779    | 42     | 12    | 0  |                        | 1,765   | 1.3          | 1.1  | 442                             | 9.5                         |
| Massachusetts            | 1,834  | 1,377  | 372    | 19    | 0  |                        | 3,602   | 1.6          | 1.8  | 1,333                           | 27.9                        |
| Michigan                 | 2,866  | 1,243  | 134    | 47    | 0  |                        | 4,290   | 1.1          | 0.8  | 838                             | 16.0                        |
| Minnesota                | 4,120  | 2,180  | 626    | 65    | 0  |                        | 6,991   | 3.8          | 3.2  | 2,256                           | 27.7                        |
| Mississippi              | 0      | 9      | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 9       | 0.01         | 0.02 | 0                               | —                           |
| Missouri                 | 881    | 500    | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 1,381   | 0.7          | 0.5  | 409                             | 0.0                         |
| Montana                  | 569    | 206    | 14     | 0     | 0  |                        | 789     | 2.2          | 1.9  | 189                             | 7.4                         |
| Nebraska                 | 786    | 365    | 13     | 0     | 0  |                        | 1,164   | 1.7          | 1.1  | 117                             | 11.1                        |
| Nevada                   | 56     | 42     | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 98      | 0.7          | 0.9  | 13                              | 0.0                         |
| New Hampshire            | 82     | 43     | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 125     | 0.5          | 0.3  | 33                              | 0.0                         |
| New Jersey               | 6,489  | 3,838  | 1,275  | 169   | 0  |                        | 11,771  | 4.5          | 4.0  | 3,757                           | 33.9                        |
| New Mexico               | 246    | 144    | 19     | 0     | 0  |                        | 409     | 0.8          | 1.1  | 56                              | 33.9                        |
| New York                 | 8,850  | 6,190  | 2,540  | 435   | 39 |                        | 18,054  | 2.5          | 2.9  | 5,949                           | 42.7                        |
| North Carolina           | 230    | 117    | 16     | 0     | 0  |                        | 363     | 0.1          | 0.1  | 72                              | 22.2                        |
| North Dakota             | 735    | 171    | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 906     | 2.5          | 1.6  | 109                             | 0.0                         |
| Ohio                     | 4,266  | 2,596  | 424    | 94    | 0  |                        | 7,380   | 1.7          | 1.4  | 1,970                           | 21.5                        |
| Oklahoma                 | 98     | 84     | 10     | 0     | 0  |                        | 192     | 0.1          | 0.1  | 63                              | 15.9                        |
| Oregon                   | 2,036  | 1,013  | 203    | 50    | 0  |                        | 3,302   | 3.0          | 2.5  | 604                             | 33.6                        |
| Pennsylvania             | 12,559 | 6,167  | 971    | 182   | 0  |                        | 19,879  | 3.9          | 2.4  | 4,036                           | 24.1                        |
| Rhode Island             | 265    | 221    | 91     | 0     | 0  |                        | 577     | 1.8          | 0.2  | 241                             | 37.8                        |
| South Carolina           | 125    | 66     | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 191     | 0.1          | 0.3  | 181                             | 0.0                         |
| South Dakota             | 878    | 178    | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 1,056   | 2.8          | 1.6  | 128                             | 0.0                         |
| Tennessee                | 21     | 7      | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 28      | 0.01         | 0.05 | 21                              | 0.0                         |
| Texas <sup>3</sup>       | 2,211  | 734    | 24     | 0     | 0  |                        | 2,969   | 0.6          | 0.3  | 353                             | 6.8                         |
| Utah                     | 1,552  | 686    | 85     | 0     | 0  |                        | 2,323   | 4.0          | 3.8  | 490                             | 17.3                        |
| Vermont                  | 23     | 20     | 1      | 0     | 0  |                        | 44      | 0.3          | 0.4  | 19                              | 5.3                         |
| Virginia                 | 641    | 296    | 67     | 4     | 0  |                        | 1,008   | 0.6          | 0.4  | 219                             | 30.6                        |
| Washington               | 3,803  | 2,196  | 500    | 171   | 0  |                        | 6,670   | 4.2          | 4.5  | 2,300                           | 21.7                        |
| West Virginia            | 162    | 53     | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 215     | 0.2          | 0.1  | 13                              | 0.0                         |
| Wisconsin                | 3,224  | 2,046  | 394    | 71    | 18 |                        | 5,753   | 2.9          | 2.6  | 1,533                           | 25.7                        |
| Wyoming                  | 177    | 69     | 0      | 0     | 0  |                        | 246     | 1.3          | 1.5  | 48                              | 0.0                         |
| U.S.A. <sup>4</sup>      | 89,029 | 48,065 | 11,280 | 1,776 | 78 | 1,033                  | 151,261 | 1.7          | 1.5  | 39,731                          | 28.4                        |

<sup>1</sup> Estimated data. See Introduction.<sup>2</sup> 1959 data.<sup>3</sup> See Introduction, "Texas Data for 1959 and 1960."<sup>4</sup> See Introduction, "Revision of 1959 Data."<sup>5</sup> See Column 4 for totals in Course III.

TABLE 8. ENROLLMENTS IN ITALIAN COURSES I-V, FALL 1960

|                          | I      | II    | III   | IV  | V  | Totals | % HSP (9-12) |      | Continuity II-III <sup>2</sup> |                       |
|--------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-----|----|--------|--------------|------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|
|                          |        |       |       |     |    |        | 1960         | 1959 | Enrollment Course II 1959      | % 1959 II in 1960 III |
| Arizona                  | 0      | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.01 | 0                              | —                     |
| California <sup>1</sup>  | 756    | 304   | 51    | 8   | 0  | 1,119  | 0.1          | 0.1  | 216                            | 23.6                  |
| Colorado                 | 28     | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 28     | 0.03         | 0.02 | 0                              | —                     |
| Connecticut <sup>2</sup> | 503    | 174   | 5     | 0   | 0  | 682    | 0.6          | 1.2  | 501                            | 1.0                   |
| Illinois                 | 243    | 130   | 15    | 8   | 0  | 396    | 0.09         | 0.2  | 233                            | 6.4                   |
| Massachusetts            | 1,234  | 480   | 131   | 0   | 0  | 1,845  | 0.8          | 0.9  | 615                            | 21.3                  |
| Michigan                 | 5      | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 5      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                              | —                     |
| Missouri                 | 22     | 17    | 0     | 0   | 0  | 39     | 0.02         | 0.07 | 56                             | 0.0                   |
| Nevada                   | 32     | 12    | 0     | 0   | 0  | 44     | 0.3          | 0.3  | 8                              | 0.0                   |
| New Jersey               | 2,139  | 1,300 | 226   | 50  | 0  | 3,715  | 1.4          | 1.5  | 1,576                          | 14.3                  |
| New York                 | 6,280  | 3,091 | 1,291 | 222 | 39 | 10,923 | 1.5          | 1.7  | 3,407                          | 37.9                  |
| Ohio                     | 6      | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 6      | 0.001        | 0.0  | 0                              | —                     |
| Pennsylvania             | 96     | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 96     | 0.02         | 0.2  | 349                            | 0.0                   |
| Rhode Island             | 560    | 396   | 124   | 9   | 0  | 1,089  | 3.5          | 4.4  | 418                            | 29.7                  |
| Wisconsin                | 39     | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 39     | 0.02         | 0.01 | 0                              | —                     |
| U.S.A.                   | 11,943 | 5,904 | 1,843 | 297 | 39 | 20,026 | 0.2          | 0.3  | 7,379                          | 25.0                  |

<sup>1</sup> Estimated enrollments. See Introduction.<sup>2</sup> See Column 4 for Course III totals.

cent, a slight decline from 29.1 per cent in 1959. The range in continuity was from a high of 62.3 per cent in Indiana to no Course III enrollments in 14 states. No state reported as much as five per cent of its high-school population in German; only eight states had three per cent or more: New Jersey (4.5%), Washington (4.2%), Utah (4.0%), Pennsylvania (3.9%), Minnesota (3.8%), Delaware and Illinois (3.1%), and Oregon (3.0%). In twenty-two states, German enrollments were less than one per cent of the high-school population.

Fourteen states reported a total of 20,026 students in Italian (Table 8), a 5.2 per cent loss from 21,118 in 1959. Italian enrollments were only 0.2 per cent of the high-school population in 1960, a drop from 0.3 per cent in 1959. Since the fall of 1958, Italian shows a decrease of 10.5 per cent. Only three states reported more than one per cent of their high-school population enrolled in Italian: Rhode Island (3.5%), New York (1.5%), and New Jersey (1.4%). The continuity of 1959 Course II into 1960 Course III was 25.0 per cent, fifth in rank among the six principal languages.

In thirty-six states and the District of Columbia, 1960 enrollments in Russian (Table 9) totalled 9,607 an increase of 27.9 per cent over 1959. Russian enrolled 0.1 per cent of the high-school population, a slight gain from 0.09 per

cent in 1959. The continuity of 1959 Course II students in 1960 Course III was 27.4 per cent, fourth in rank of the six chief high-school languages. Oregon led the states with an enrollment of 0.5 per cent of the high-school population. Colorado, Connecticut, Utah, and the District of Columbia each enrolled 0.4 per cent, and Washington enrolled 0.3 per cent.

In 1960, Spanish (Table 10) had an enrollment of 935,418 an increase of 133,152 (16.6%) since 1959. With nearly half (49.9%) of the modern foreign language students and 36.9 per cent of the students of all foreign languages, it was still the first language in each category. In per cent of high-school population, Spanish went from 9.8 in 1959 to 10.8 in 1960. The continuity of 1959 Course II students in 1960 Course III was 28.5 per cent, second to French in this respect.

New Mexico ranked first among the states with 30.6 per cent of the high-school population. Sixteen other states and the District of Columbia enrolled over 10 per cent in Spanish: Arizona (25.3%), California (23.8%), Texas (17.5%), New Jersey (16.5%), Nevada (16.3%), New York (16.1%), Colorado (15.7%), Florida (15.0%), Delaware (13.5%), Washington (13.4%), Pennsylvania (12.0%), District of Columbia (11.7%), Wyoming (11.2%), Connecticut (10.9%), Illinois (10.7%), Kansas (10.5%), and Alaska (10.2%). Fifteen states

TABLE 9. ENROLLMENTS IN RUSSIAN COURSES I-IV, FALL 1960

|                          | I     | II    | III | IV | Totals | % HSP (9-12) |      | Continuity II-III <sup>2</sup>  |                             |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-----|----|--------|--------------|------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|                          |       |       |     |    |        | 1960         | 1959 | Enrollment<br>Course<br>II 1959 | % 1959<br>II in<br>1960 III |
| Alabama                  | 16    | 0     | 0   | 0  | 16     | 0.009        | 0.02 | 4                               | 0.0                         |
| Alaska                   | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Arizona                  | 39    | 17    | 0   | 0  | 56     | 0.08         | 0.08 | 0                               | —                           |
| Arkansas                 | 17    | 0     | 0   | 0  | 17     | 0.02         | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| California <sup>1</sup>  | 1,101 | 274   | 63  | 2  | 1,440  | 0.2          | 0.2  | 127                             | 49.6                        |
| Colorado                 | 271   | 56    | 39  | 0  | 366    | 0.4          | 0.3  | 70                              | 55.7                        |
| Connecticut <sup>1</sup> | 266   | 128   | 10  | 0  | 404    | 0.4          | 0.2  | 30                              | 33.3                        |
| Delaware                 | 0     | 13    | 0   | 0  | 13     | 0.07         | 0.2  | 0                               | —                           |
| D. of Columbia           | 37    | 36    | 0   | 0  | 73     | 0.4          | 0.5  | 43                              | 0.0                         |
| Florida                  | 43    | 39    | 0   | 0  | 82     | 0.04         | 0.06 | 18                              | 0.0                         |
| Georgia                  | 117   | 28    | 0   | 0  | 145    | 0.07         | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Hawaii                   | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Idaho                    | 13    | 0     | 0   | 0  | 13     | 0.03         | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Illinois                 | 697   | 221   | 14  | 0  | 932    | 0.2          | 0.2  | 103                             | 13.6                        |
| Indiana                  | 43    | 0     | 0   | 0  | 43     | 0.02         | 0.01 | 0                               | —                           |
| Iowa                     | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Kansas                   | 13    | 0     | 0   | 0  | 13     | 0.01         | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Kentucky                 | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Louisiana                | 0     | 25    | 0   | 0  | 25     | 0.02         | 0.04 | 0                               | —                           |
| Maine                    | 8     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 8      | 0.02         | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Maryland                 | 22    | 15    | 0   | 0  | 37     | 0.03         | 0.07 | 0                               | —                           |
| Massachusetts            | 192   | 102   | 22  | 0  | 316    | 0.1          | 0.1  | 63                              | 34.9                        |
| Michigan                 | 326   | 113   | 43  | 27 | 509    | 0.1          | 0.1  | 135                             | 31.9                        |
| Minnesota                | 43    | 0     | 0   | 0  | 43     | 0.02         | 0.07 | 0                               | —                           |
| Mississippi              | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Missouri                 | 86    | 26    | 0   | 0  | 112    | 0.06         | 0.04 | 8                               | 0.0                         |
| Montana                  | 17    | 5     | 0   | 0  | 22     | 0.06         | 0.05 | 6                               | 0.0                         |
| Nebraska                 | 47    | 10    | 0   | 0  | 57     | 0.08         | 0.02 | 0                               | —                           |
| Nevada                   | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| New Hampshire            | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| New Jersey               | 355   | 100   | 14  | 0  | 469    | 0.2          | 0.2  | 138                             | 10.1                        |
| New Mexico               | 87    | 27    | 5   | 1  | 120    | 0.2          | 0.3  | 48                              | 10.4                        |
| New York                 | 874   | 407   | 71  | 10 | 1,362  | 0.2          | 0.1  | 174                             | 40.8                        |
| North Carolina           | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| North Dakota             | 11    | 0     | 0   | 0  | 11     | 0.03         | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Ohio                     | 199   | 82    | 0   | 0  | 281    | 0.06         | 0.06 | 71                              | 0.0                         |
| Oklahoma                 | 13    | 0     | 0   | 0  | 13     | 0.01         | 0.01 | 0                               | —                           |
| Oregon                   | 274   | 187   | 40  | 9  | 510    | 0.5          | 0.5  | 170                             | 23.5                        |
| Pennsylvania             | 704   | 307   | 18  | 0  | 1,029  | 0.2          | 0.2  | 202                             | 8.9                         |
| Rhode Island             | 20    | 15    | 18  | 0  | 53     | 0.2          | 0.1  | 21                              | 85.7                        |
| South Carolina           | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| South Dakota             | 0     | 11    | 0   | 0  | 11     | 0.03         | 0.1  | 11                              | 0.0                         |
| Tennessee                | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Texas                    | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Utah                     | 160   | 48    | 0   | 0  | 208    | 0.4          | 0.2  | 12                              | 0.0                         |
| Vermont                  | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Virginia                 | 140   | 9     | 13  | 0  | 162    | 0.1          | 0.04 | 21                              | 61.9                        |
| Washington               | 313   | 154   | 37  | 0  | 504    | 0.3          | 0.02 | 40                              | 92.5                        |
| West Virginia            | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| Wisconsin                | 75    | 43    | 8   | 6  | 132    | 0.07         | 0.06 | 0                               | —                           |
| Wyoming                  | 0     | 0     | 0   | 0  | 0      | 0.0          | 0.0  | 0                               | —                           |
| U.S.A.                   | 6,639 | 2,498 | 415 | 55 | 9,607  | 0.1          | .09  | 1,515                           | 27.4                        |

<sup>1</sup> Estimated enrollments. See Introduction.<sup>2</sup> See column 4 for course III totals.

TABLE 10. ENROLLMENTS IN SPANISH COURSES I-V, FALL 1960

|                          | I       | II      | III    | IV     | V   | Unclas-<br>sified | Totals  | % HSP (9-12) |      | Continuity II-III <sup>5</sup>       |                             |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|--------|--------|-----|-------------------|---------|--------------|------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|                          |         |         |        |        |     |                   |         | 1960         | 1959 | Enroll-<br>ment<br>Course II<br>1959 | % 1959<br>II in<br>1960 III |
| Alabama                  | 4,349   | 2,834   | 284    | 35     | 0   |                   | 7,502   | 4.3          | 4.1  | 2,507                                | 11.3                        |
| Alaska                   | 442     | 305     | 31     | 0      | 0   |                   | 778     | 10.2         | 9.0  | 271                                  | 11.4                        |
| Arizona                  | 11,020  | 4,944   | 614    | 254    | 0   |                   | 16,832  | 25.3         | 25.0 | 3,707                                | 16.6                        |
| Arkansas                 | 2,754   | 1,038   | 35     | 0      | 0   |                   | 3,827   | 3.7          | 2.5  | 625                                  | 5.6                         |
| California <sup>1</sup>  | 99,655  | 56,342  | 17,298 | 4,708  | 24  |                   | 178,027 | 23.8         | 21.9 | 47,368                               | 36.5                        |
| Colorado                 | 8,757   | 4,327   | 807    | 114    | 0   | 154               | 14,159  | 15.7         | 15.3 | 3,887                                | 20.8                        |
| Connecticut <sup>1</sup> | 6,377   | 4,721   | 931    | 204    | 0   |                   | 12,233  | 10.9         | 9.7  | 3,619                                | 25.7                        |
| Delaware                 | 1,556   | 970     | 149    | 0      | 0   |                   | 2,675   | 13.5         | 12.8 | 779                                  | 19.1                        |
| D. of Columbia           | 1,194   | 791     | 151    | 30     | 0   |                   | 2,166   | 11.7         | 11.1 | 700                                  | 21.6                        |
| Florida                  | 21,741  | 11,061  | 1,351  | 215    | 0   |                   | 34,368  | 15.0         | 14.6 | 10,331                               | 13.1                        |
| Georgia                  | 7,534   | 3,722   | 104    | 0      | 0   |                   | 11,360  | 5.4          | 3.9  | 2,622                                | 4.0                         |
| Hawaii                   | 1,434   | 570     | 0      | 0      | 0   |                   | 2,004   | 5.7          | 4.4  | 435                                  | 0.0                         |
| Idaho                    | 2,972   | 1,103   | 146    | 4      | 0   |                   | 4,225   | 10.0         | 9.7  | 1,120                                | 13.0                        |
| Illinois                 | 27,551  | 15,217  | 2,360  | 591    | 0   |                   | 45,719  | 10.7         | 11.0 | 15,746                               | 15.0                        |
| Indiana                  | 8,792   | 5,349   | 1,628  | 295    | 0   |                   | 16,064  | 7.0          | 5.9  | 4,532                                | 35.9                        |
| Iowa <sup>2</sup>        | —       | —       | —      | —      | —   | 5,535             | 5,535   | 4.0          | 4.0  | —                                    | —                           |
| Kansas                   | 9,388   | 3,056   | 502    | 41     | 0   |                   | 12,987  | 10.5         | 8.8  | 2,049                                | 24.5                        |
| Kentucky                 | 3,735   | 1,466   | 116    | 3      | 0   |                   | 5,320   | 3.7          | 3.2  | 1,093                                | 10.6                        |
| Louisiana                | 5,113   | 2,453   | 334    | 48     | 0   |                   | 7,948   | 5.0          | 4.8  | 2,184                                | 15.3                        |
| Maine                    | 307     | 131     | 34     | 0      | 0   |                   | 472     | 1.0          | .9   | 118                                  | 28.8                        |
| Maryland                 | 5,661   | 4,153   | 626    | 46     | 0   |                   | 10,486  | 7.4          | 7.3  | 3,564                                | 17.6                        |
| Massachusetts            | 7,977   | 4,124   | 893    | 160    | 0   |                   | 13,154  | 5.8          | 6.4  | 4,576                                | 19.5                        |
| Michigan                 | 17,479  | 8,169   | 1,237  | 566    | 0   |                   | 27,451  | 7.3          | 6.5  | 7,204                                | 17.2                        |
| Minnesota                | 5,247   | 2,739   | 801    | 119    | 0   |                   | 8,906   | 4.8          | 4.8  | 2,902                                | 27.6                        |
| Mississippi              | 2,339   | 770     | 125    | 0      | 0   |                   | 3,234   | 2.8          | 2.2  | 721                                  | 17.3                        |
| Missouri                 | 8,635   | 3,936   | 513    | 85     | 11  |                   | 13,180  | 6.5          | 5.1  | 2,940                                | 17.4                        |
| Montana                  | 1,472   | 814     | 89     | 7      | 0   |                   | 2,382   | 6.6          | 6.7  | 679                                  | 13.1                        |
| Nebraska                 | 3,028   | 1,497   | 148    | 0      | 23  |                   | 4,696   | 6.8          | 5.5  | 706                                  | 21.0                        |
| Nevada                   | 1,510   | 696     | 67     | 0      | 0   |                   | 2,273   | 16.3         | 18.6 | 763                                  | 8.8                         |
| New Hampshire            | 402     | 265     | 15     | 0      | 0   |                   | 682     | 2.7          | 2.8  | 220                                  | 6.8                         |
| New Jersey               | 24,210  | 15,298  | 3,260  | 643    | 8   |                   | 43,419  | 16.5         | 18.2 | 14,501                               | 22.5                        |
| New Mexico               | 11,935  | 3,839   | 531    | 96     | 0   |                   | 16,401  | 30.6         | 26.1 | 3,083                                | 17.2                        |
| New York                 | 59,623  | 35,336  | 16,401 | 3,678  | 83  |                   | 115,121 | 16.1         | 16.1 | 20,768                               | 79.0                        |
| North Carolina           | 8,437   | 4,329   | 145    | 0      | 0   |                   | 12,911  | 4.8          | 4.0  | 3,110                                | 4.7                         |
| North Dakota             | 530     | 300     | 0      | 0      | 0   |                   | 830     | 2.3          | 1.9  | 206                                  | 0.0                         |
| Ohio                     | 21,178  | 11,799  | 1,170  | 163    | 17  |                   | 34,327  | 7.7          | 7.4  | 10,700                               | 10.9                        |
| Oklahoma                 | 9,825   | 3,488   | 355    | 6      | 0   |                   | 13,674  | 9.5          | 7.9  | 2,770                                | 12.8                        |
| Oregon                   | 5,234   | 2,440   | 535    | 123    | 0   |                   | 8,332   | 7.5          | 7.4  | 2,479                                | 21.6                        |
| Pennsylvania             | 33,950  | 16,495  | 8,167  | 2,644  | 0   |                   | 61,256  | 12.0         | 9.4  | 15,466                               | 52.8                        |
| Rhode Island             | 1,457   | 720     | 250    | 0      | 0   |                   | 2,427   | 7.7          | 7.3  | 714                                  | 35.0                        |
| South Carolina           | 2,481   | 1,152   | 29     | 0      | 0   |                   | 3,662   | 2.9          | 2.7  | 1,026                                | 2.8                         |
| South Dakota             | 1,260   | 533     | 0      | 0      | 0   |                   | 1,793   | 4.7          | 4.1  | 277                                  | 0.0                         |
| Tennessee                | 8,208   | 2,879   | 716    | 0      | 0   |                   | 11,803  | 6.2          | 6.2  | 2,556                                | 28.0                        |
| Texas <sup>3</sup>       | 54,402  | 25,052  | 2,911  | 471    | 108 |                   | 82,944  | 17.5         | 13.6 | 21,271                               | 13.7                        |
| Utah                     | 2,385   | 1,079   | 146    | 15     | 0   |                   | 3,625   | 6.2          | 7.1  | 1,002                                | 14.6                        |
| Vermont                  | 110     | 99      | 15     | 0      | 0   |                   | 224     | 1.4          | 1.5  | 98                                   | 15.3                        |
| Virginia                 | 10,161  | 5,653   | 668    | 136    | 0   |                   | 16,618  | 9.2          | 7.6  | 4,314                                | 15.5                        |
| Washington               | 12,953  | 6,484   | 1,626  | 198    | 0   |                   | 21,261  | 13.4         | 10.9 | 5,660                                | 28.7                        |
| West Virginia            | 2,046   | 903     | 0      | 0      | 0   |                   | 2,949   | 2.7          | 2.7  | 884                                  | 0.0                         |
| Wisconsin                | 5,398   | 3,068   | 481    | 157    | 32  |                   | 9,136   | 4.6          | 4.0  | 2,432                                | 19.8                        |
| Wyoming                  | 1,372   | 530     | 120    | 38     | 0   |                   | 2,060   | 11.2         | 10.9 | 556                                  | 21.6                        |
| U.S.A. <sup>4</sup>      | 555,576 | 289,039 | 68,915 | 15,893 | 306 | 5,689             | 935,418 | 10.8         | 9.8  | 241,841                              | 28.5                        |

<sup>1</sup> Estimated data. See Introduction.<sup>2</sup> 1959 data.<sup>3</sup> See Introduction, "Texas Data for 1959 and 1960."<sup>4</sup> See Introduction, "Revision of 1959 Data."<sup>5</sup> See Column 4 for totals in Course III.

TABLE 11. ENROLLMENTS IN OTHER LANGUAGES, FALL 1960

| Language        | Grand Totals<br>by Language | Totals by Courses                            |                                             |                                           |                                     | States Where<br>Taught                                                                 | Totals by<br>States                  |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
|                 |                             | I                                            | II                                          | III                                       | IV                                  |                                                                                        |                                      |
| Arabic          | 68                          | 50                                           | 18                                          | 0                                         | 0                                   | Utah                                                                                   | 68                                   |
| Chinese         | 75                          | 31<br>34<br>6<br>71                          | 4<br>0<br>0<br>4                            | 0<br>0<br>0<br>0                          | 0<br>0<br>0<br>0                    | California <sup>1</sup><br>Hawaii<br>Illinois                                          | 35<br>34<br>6                        |
| Czech           | 10                          | 10                                           | 0                                           | 0                                         | 0                                   | Illinois                                                                               | 10                                   |
| Greek (Ancient) | 222                         | 13<br>35<br>18<br>13<br>79                   | 0<br>69<br>37<br>9<br>115                   | 0<br>28<br>0<br>0<br>28                   | 0<br>0<br>0<br>0<br>0               | Kansas<br>Louisiana<br>Massachusetts<br>Rhode Island                                   | 13<br>132<br>55<br>22                |
| Greek (Modern)  | 14                          | 14                                           | 0                                           | 0                                         | 0                                   | Massachusetts                                                                          | 14                                   |
| Hawaiian        | 132                         | 132                                          | 0                                           | 0                                         | 0                                   | Hawaii                                                                                 | 132                                  |
| Hebrew          | 4,160                       | 58<br>64<br>12<br>31<br>1,249<br>37<br>1,451 | 44<br>8<br>12<br>30<br>1,145<br>26<br>1,265 | 27<br>2<br>0<br>11<br>1,015<br>0<br>1,055 | 0<br>0<br>0<br>0<br>389<br>0<br>389 | California <sup>1</sup><br>Illinois<br>Massachusetts<br>New Jersey<br>New York<br>Ohio | 129<br>74<br>24<br>72<br>3,798<br>63 |
| Japanese        | 609                         | 609                                          | 0                                           | 0                                         | 0                                   | Hawaii                                                                                 | 609                                  |
| Norwegian       | 111                         | 34<br>40<br>74                               | 0<br>0<br>0                                 | 33<br>0<br>33                             | 4<br>0<br>4                         | Minnesota<br>New York                                                                  | 71<br>40                             |
| Polish          | 438                         | 95<br>99<br>26<br>58<br>16<br>294            | 56<br>8<br>0<br>36<br>0<br>100              | 35<br>0<br>0<br>0<br>0<br>35              | 5<br>0<br>0<br>0<br>4<br>9          | Illinois<br>Massachusetts<br>New York<br>Pennsylvania<br>Wisconsin                     | 191<br>107<br>26<br>94<br>20         |
| Portuguese      | 600                         | 368<br>51<br>419                             | 137<br>37<br>174                            | 0<br>7<br>7                               | 0<br>0<br>0                         | Massachusetts<br>Rhode Island                                                          | 505<br>95                            |
| Swedish         | 209                         | 37<br>97<br>134                              | 26<br>0<br>26                               | 4<br>45<br>49                             | 0<br>0<br>0                         | Illinois<br>Minnesota                                                                  | 67<br>142                            |
| Unspecified     | 2,722                       |                                              |                                             |                                           |                                     | Connecticut <sup>1</sup><br>Pennsylvania                                               | 564<br>2,158                         |
| U.S.A.          | 9,370                       |                                              |                                             |                                           |                                     |                                                                                        | 9,370                                |

<sup>1</sup> Estimated. See Introduction.

enrolled less than five per cent in Spanish: Minnesota and North Carolina (4.8%), South Dakota (4.7%), Wisconsin (4.6%), Alabama (4.3%), Iowa (4.0%), Arkansas and Kentucky (3.7%), South Carolina (2.9%), Mississippi (2.8%), New Hampshire and West Virginia (2.7%), North Dakota (2.3%), Vermont (1.4%), and Maine (1.0%).

#### OTHER FOREIGN LANGUAGE ENROLLMENTS (TABLE 11)

A total enrollment of 9370 was reported in other languages by fifteen states; the 4160 in Hebrew (3798 from New York) was 44.4 per cent of the total, and the 2722 "unspecified" in Connecticut and Pennsylvania was 29.0 per cent. In addition to Hebrew, two languages enrolled over 500 students: Japanese (609) and Portuguese (600); three languages had over 200: Polish (438), Ancient Greek (222), and Swedish (209). Four of the twelve languages reported had fewer than 100 enrolled: Chinese (75), Arabic (68), Modern Greek (14), and Czech (10).

Four states reported from three to five other languages. Two states had five: Massachusetts (Ancient Greek, Modern Greek, Hebrew, Polish, and Portuguese) and Illinois (Chinese, Czech, Hebrew, Polish, and Swedish). Two states reported three: Hawaii (Chinese, Hawaiian, and Japanese) and New York (Hebrew, Norwegian, and Polish). Three states offered two other languages: California (Chinese and Hebrew), Minnesota (Norwegian and Swedish), and Rhode Island (Ancient Greek and Portuguese). Seven offered one other language: Kansas and Louisiana (Ancient Greek), New Jersey and Ohio (Hebrew), Pennsylvania and Wisconsin (Polish), and Utah (Arabic).

#### DISTRIBUTION BY STATES AND BY PER CENTS OF SIX FOREIGN LANGUAGES

Table 12 lists the states where each of the six principal foreign languages had an enrollment of at least one-half per cent of the state's public-high-school population. All states and the District of Columbia offered French, German, Latin, and Spanish, though fourteen states had less than 0.5 per cent in German. Fourteen states reported enrollments in Italian, but only four of these were above 0.5 per cent. Russian was offered in thirty-six states and the District of Columbia, but only Oregon had as much as 0.5 per cent.

Spanish enrollments were above 15 per cent of the high-school population in six states in the West and Southwest, and in New Jersey and New York. French enrollments were over 15 per cent in New England and in three Middle Atlantic States (Delaware, Maryland, New York). German enrollment per cents were usually highest in states across the northern half of the United States. Italian per cents were largest in the East. Latin was above 10 per cent in the East, Middle Atlantic, and Midwest.

#### FOREIGN LANGUAGE ENROLLMENTS IN GRADES 7 AND 8

These grades are a statistical no-man's land. They are at times the culmination of an eight-grade elementary school, at other times the beginning years of a three-year junior high school or a six-year comprehensive high school. As a result it is far more difficult to get complete and reliable statistics on enrollments in these grades than for the 9-12 high-school grades.

Table 13 shows that in 35 states and the District of Columbia 251,406 pupils in grades 7 and 8

CHART D. FOREIGN LANGUAGE ENROLLMENTS IN GRADES 7 AND 8 OF SECONDARY SCHOOLS<sup>1</sup>

| Language Taught    | Number of States |                 | Combined Enrollments<br>Grades 7-8 |         | Per Cent Change |
|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|
|                    | 1959             | 1960            | 1959                               | 1960    | 1959 to 1960    |
| French             | 27 <sup>2</sup>  | 29 <sup>2</sup> | 55,458                             | 87,543  | 57.9            |
| German             | 15               | 19              | 5,702                              | 7,948   | 39.4            |
| Latin              | 20 <sup>2</sup>  | 21 <sup>2</sup> | 19,847                             | 19,356  | - 2.5           |
| Spanish            | 29 <sup>2</sup>  | 29 <sup>2</sup> | 29,767                             | 55,430  | 86.2            |
| Other <sup>3</sup> | 8                | 8               | 4,742                              | 2,894   | -39.0           |
| USA Totals         | 31 <sup>2</sup>  | 31 <sup>2</sup> | 115,516                            | 173,171 | 49.9            |

<sup>1</sup> These enrollments are for the 31 states for which comparable data were given in both years. For enrollments in grades 7-8 in all states which reported them in 1960, see Table 13.

<sup>2</sup> Plus the District of Columbia.

<sup>3</sup> In 1959, "Other" languages were Hebrew, Italian, and Russian; in 1960, the same plus Japanese, Portuguese, and Unspecified.

TABLE 12. GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION<sup>1</sup>

| Per Cent Range     | SPANISH                                                                                                                                                                                                    | FRENCH                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | LATIN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | GERMAN                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | ITALIAN                                                                | RUSSIAN |
|--------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| 30.6<br>to<br>20.0 | New Mexico<br>Arizona<br>California                                                                                                                                                                        | Rhode Island<br>Massachusetts<br>New Hampshire<br>Vermont<br>Maryland<br>Maine                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                        |         |
| 19.9<br>to<br>15.0 | Texas<br>New Jersey<br>Nevada<br>New York<br>Colorado<br>Florida                                                                                                                                           | Delaware<br>Connecticut<br>New York<br>North Carolina                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Massachusetts<br>Vermont                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                        |         |
| 14.9<br>to<br>10.0 | Delaware<br>Washington<br>Pennsylvania<br>D. of Columbia<br>Wyoming<br>Connecticut<br>Illinois<br>Kansas<br>Alaska<br>Idaho                                                                                | New Jersey<br>D. of Columbia<br>Virginia<br>Pennsylvania                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Connecticut<br>New Hampshire<br>Delaware<br>Rhode Island<br>Pennsylvania<br>Ohio<br>D. of Columbia<br>Virginia<br>New Jersey<br>Indiana<br>Maine                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                        |         |
| 9.9<br>to<br>5.0   | Oklahoma<br>Virginia<br>Ohio<br>Rhode Island<br>Oregon<br>Maryland<br>Michigan<br>Indiana<br>Nebraska<br>Montana<br>Missouri<br>Tennessee<br>Utah<br>Massachusetts<br>Hawaii<br>Georgia<br>Louisiana       | South Carolina<br>Washington<br>Georgia<br>California<br>Nevada<br>Ohio<br>Michigan<br>Illinois<br>Colorado<br>Louisiana<br>Oregon<br>West Virginia                                                                                                                                            | Washington<br>Colorado<br>Illinois<br>Wyoming<br>Alaska<br>Florida<br>Kansas<br>Michigan<br>Maryland<br>Tennessee<br>New York<br>South Carolina<br>Oregon<br>Georgia<br>Montana<br>West Virginia<br>Wisconsin<br>Idaho<br>Hawaii<br>Kentucky<br>North Carolina<br>Nebraska<br>North Dakota<br>Arizona<br>Nevada<br>South Dakota<br>Texas |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                                                        |         |
| 4.9<br>to<br>0.5   | Minnesota<br>North Carolina<br>South Dakota<br>Wisconsin<br>Alabama<br>Iowa<br>Arkansas<br>Kentucky<br>South Carolina<br>Mississippi<br>New Hampshire<br>West Virginia<br>North Dakota<br>Vermont<br>Maine | Montana<br>Utah<br>Kansas<br>Hawaii<br>Kentucky<br>Missouri<br>Florida<br>Indiana<br>Wyoming<br>Alaska<br>Alabama<br>Tennessee<br>Nebraska<br>Idaho<br>Wisconsin<br>Arizona<br>Minnesota<br>Oklahoma<br>Arkansas<br>North Dakota<br>Texas<br>Mississippi<br>New Mexico<br>Iowa<br>South Dakota | California<br>Iowa<br>Minnesota<br>Oklahoma<br>Missouri<br>New Mexico<br>Mississippi<br>Arkansas<br>Alabama<br>Louisiana<br>Utah                                                                                                                                                                                                         | New Jersey<br>Washington<br>Utah<br>Pennsylvania<br>Minnesota<br>Delaware<br>Illinois<br>Oregon<br>Wisconsin<br>South Dakota<br>California<br>New York<br>North Dakota<br>Montana<br>Colorado<br>D. of Columbia<br>Idaho<br>Rhode Island<br>Arizona<br>Nebraska<br>Ohio<br>Massachusetts<br>Connecticut<br>Alaska<br>Indiana<br>Maryland<br>Wyoming<br>Kansas<br>Michigan<br>New Mexico<br>Iowa<br>Kentucky<br>Missouri<br>Nevada<br>Texas<br>Virginia<br>New Hampshire | Rhode Island<br>New York<br>New Jersey<br>Massachusetts<br>Connecticut | Oregon  |

<sup>1</sup> For exact per cents, consult Tables 5-10. No states are listed in this table with enrollments of less than one-half of one per cent.

TABLE 13. FOREIGN LANGUAGE ENROLLMENTS IN SECONDARY SCHOOL GRADES 7-8, FALL 1960\*

|                | ALL FLS |         |         | FRENCH  |        |        | GERMAN |       |       | LATIN  |       |        | SPANISH |        |        | OTHER FLS <sup>1</sup> |       |       |
|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|--------|---------|--------|--------|------------------------|-------|-------|
|                | 7 & 8   | 7       | 8       | 7 & 8   | 7      | 8      | 7 & 8  | 7     | 8     | 7 & 8  | 7     | 8      | 7 & 8   | 7      | 8      | 7 & 8                  | 7     | 8     |
| Alabama        | —       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Alaska         | —       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Arizona        | ?       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Arkansas       | 350     | 134     | 216     | 71      | 26     | 45     |        |       |       |        |       |        | 279     | 108    | 171    |                        |       |       |
| California     | —       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Colorado       | 10,987  | 5,403   | 5,584   | 3,241   | 1,650  | 1,591  | 309    | 112   | 197   | 378    | 60    | 318    | 6,965   | 3,532  | 3,433  | 94                     | 49    | 45    |
| Connecticut    | —       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Delaware       | 1,820   | 593     | 1,227   | 764     | 289    | 475    | 78     |       | 78    | 160    |       | 160    | 818     | 304    | 514    |                        |       |       |
| D. of Columbia | 3,646   | 170     | 3,476   | 1,357   | 80     | 1,277  |        |       |       | 1,221  | 27    | 1,194  | 1,068   | 63     | 1,005  |                        |       |       |
| Florida        | 5,647   | 1,246   | 4,401   | 563     | 218    | 345    |        |       |       | 479    | 85    | 394    | 4,605   | 943    | 3,662  |                        |       |       |
| Georgia        | ?       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Hawaii         | 291     | 136     | 155     |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        | 148     | 24     | 124    | 143                    | 112   | 31    |
| Idaho          | 497     | 190     | 307     | 21      |        | 21     | 73     |       | 73    |        |       |        | 403     | 190    | 213    |                        |       |       |
| Illinois       | 25,177  | 11,907  | 13,270  | 9,741   | 4,670  | 5,071  | 957    | 473   | 484   | 278    | 105   | 173    | 13,956  | 6,647  | 7,309  | 245                    | 12    | 233   |
| Indiana        | 2,070   | 767     | 1,303   | 635     | 369    | 266    | 48     |       | 48    | 407    | 19    | 388    | 980     | 379    | 601    |                        |       |       |
| Iowa           | —       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Kansas         | 2,353   |         | 2,353   | 676     |        | 676    | 30     |       | 30    | 105    |       | 105    | 1,542   |        | 1,542  |                        |       |       |
| Kentucky       | 0       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Louisiana      | 2,511   | 364     | 2,147   | 963     | 154    | 809    |        |       |       | 255    |       | 255    | 1,293   | 210    | 1,083  |                        |       |       |
| Maine          | 200     |         | 200     | 200     |        | 200    |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Maryland       | 9,858   | 4,793   | 5,065   | 7,865   | 4,793  | 3,072  | 353    |       | 353   | 751    |       | 751    | 889     |        | 889    |                        |       |       |
| Massachusetts  | 22,255  | 7,929   | 14,326  | 14,276  | 5,955  | 8,321  | 52     | 24    | 28    | 6,579  | 1,307 | 5,272  | 946     | 518    | 428    | 4 2                    | 125   | 277   |
| Michigan       | 5,915   | 2,713   | 3,202   | 2,634   | 1,416  | 1,218  | 351    | 180   | 171   | 285    |       | 285    | 2,645   | 1,117  | 1,528  |                        |       |       |
| Minnesota      | 1,524   | 606     | 918     | 177     | 40     | 137    | 346    | 162   | 184   | 82     |       | 82     | 919     | 404    | 515    |                        |       |       |
| Mississippi    | 703     | 516     | 187     | 138     | 138    |        |        |       |       |        |       |        | 565     | 378    | 187    |                        |       |       |
| Missouri       | ?       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Montana        | 3,394   | 1,739   | 1,655   | 1,621   | 1,467  | 154    | 1,263  | 54    | 1,209 |        |       |        | 510     | 218    | 292    |                        |       |       |
| Nebraska       | 1,664   | 755     | 909     | 281     | 118    | 163    | 17     |       | 17    |        |       |        | 1,366   | 637    | 729    |                        |       |       |
| Nevada         | —       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| New Hampshire  | ?       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| New Jersey     | 8,898   | 1,267   | 7,631   | 4,168   | 647    | 3,521  | 687    | 147   | 540   | 1,274  | 108   | 1,166  | 2,620   | 365    | 2,255  | 149                    |       | 149   |
| New Mexico     | ?       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| New York       | 58,640  | 29,496  | 29,144  | 33,433  | 17,493 | 15,940 | 2,042  | 744   | 1,298 | 4,156  | 1,091 | 3,065  | 16,977  | 9,482  | 7,495  | 2,032                  | 686   | 1,346 |
| North Carolina | 3,089   | 1,424   | 1,665   | 2,210   | 1,063  | 1,147  |        |       |       | 110    |       | 110    | 769     | 361    | 408    |                        |       |       |
| North Dakota   | 0       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Ohio           | 11,936  | 6,184   | 5,752   | 6,960   | 3,814  | 3,146  | 545    | 391   | 154   | 1,707  | 432   | 1,275  | 2,701   | 1,547  | 1,154  | 23                     |       | 23    |
| Oklahoma       | 2,279   | 922     | 1,357   | 693     | 312    | 381    |        |       |       | 35     |       | 35     | 1,551   | 610    | 941    |                        |       |       |
| Oregon         | 245     | 122     | 123     | 169     | 62     | 107    | 31     | 15    | 16    |        |       |        | 45      | 45     |        |                        |       |       |
| Pennsylvania   | 17,727  | 6,587   | 11,140  | 7,913   | 4,139  | 3,774  | 1,884  | 742   | 1,142 | 3,529  | 246   | 3,283  | 4,304   | 1,460  | 2,844  | 97                     |       | 97    |
| Rhode Island   | 3,700   | 1,053   | 2,647   | 2,732   | 1,025  | 1,707  |        |       |       | 968    | 28    | 940    |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| South Carolina | 380     |         | 380     | 333     |        | 333    |        |       |       |        |       |        | 47      |        | 47     |                        |       |       |
| South Dakota   | 207     | 60      | 147     |         |        |        | 87     | 60    | 27    | 87     |       | 87     | 33      |        | 33     |                        |       |       |
| Tennessee      | —       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Texas          | 31,789  | 15,583  | 16,206  | 801     | 535    | 266    | 551    | 295   | 256   | 985    | 129   | 856    | 29,452  | 14,624 | 14,828 |                        |       |       |
| Utah           | 2,949   | 191     | 2,758   | 756     | 7      | 749    | 573    | 27    | 546   | 254    |       | 254    | 1,346   | 147    | 1,199  | 20                     | 10    | 10    |
| Vermont        | 453     | 274     | 179     | 453     | 274    | 179    |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Virginia       | ?       |         |         |         |        |        |        |       |       |        |       |        |         |        |        |                        |       |       |
| Washington     | 1,875   | 712     | 1,163   | 583     | 262    | 321    | 335    | 134   | 201   | 57     |       | 57     | 900     | 316    | 584    |                        |       |       |
| West Virginia  | 329     | 126     | 203     | 109     | 57     | 52     |        |       |       |        |       |        | 220     | 69     | 151    |                        |       |       |
| Wisconsin      | 5,043   | 2,682   | 2,361   | 2,098   | 1,123  | 975    | 728    | 355   | 373   | 112    | 23    | 80     | 2,074   | 1,167  | 907    | 31                     | 14    | 17    |
| Wyoming        | 1,005   | 425     | 580     | 26      |        | 26     |        |       |       | 4      |       | 4      | 975     | 425    | 550    |                        |       |       |
| U.S.A.         | 251,406 | 107,069 | 144,337 | 108,661 | 52,196 | 56,465 | 11,340 | 3,915 | 7,425 | 24,258 | 3,660 | 20,598 | 103,911 | 46,290 | 57,621 | 3,236                  | 1,008 | 2,228 |

\* The following symbols are used above:

0 There were no enrollments.

<sup>1</sup> Enrollments were not available.

? The data did not distinguish between 0 and —.

<sup>2</sup> In the following states there is only one other language: Colorado, Russian; Hawaii, Japanese; Massachusetts, Italian; Ohio, Portuguese; Utah, Russian; and Wisconsin, Russian. In New Jersey, other languages are Italian, 55, and Russian, 94. In New York, other languages are Hebrew, 111, Italian, 326, Russian, 72, and unspecified, 177, in grade 7; the same with enrollments of 94, 227, 18, and 1007, in grade 8.

were enrolled in foreign-language classes in the fall of 1960. A comparison with 1959 enrollments in the 31 states for which we have reliable and comparable data for both years shows national increases (grades 7 and 8) from 115,516 to 173,171, or 49.9 per cent. Spanish showed the greatest per cent of gains, from 29,767 to 55,430,

or 86.2 per cent. Next in per cent of gains, but highest in actual numbers, was French, which increased from 55,458 to 87,543 or 57.9 per cent. German increased from 5,702 to 7,948 or 39.4 per cent. Other languages showed a percentage loss, including Latin, which went from 19,847 to 19,356, or a loss of 2.5 per cent.

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